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CINCINNATI HAS A $2,000,000 BLAZE

Pike Opera House and Adjoining Buildings Destroyed--Entire Business Section Threatened.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 26.—This city was visited with a fire today that destroyed one-half of a square in the center of the business district and caused a loss of over $2,000,000. There are approximately 400 losers. The burning embers were carried for miles, the Kentucky suburbs being covered with them. The fire departments of Covington, Newport and other Kentucky towns came promptly to the assistance of the local firemen and it was noon before their combined efforts had the fire under control. Crews were at work all the time on the roofs of surrounding buildings and a general conflagration was narrowly averted.

A GREAT SCARE.

It was perhaps the greatest scare the city ever had as it was thought at one time the entire business section was doomed and such would have been the case if there had been brisk winds.

John Schaefer and John Keenan were seriously injured by falling walls, but both will recover. Although there are reports of persons being missing it is not thought that any lives were lost. Captain O'Keefe, with seven firemen, was caught on the roof of one of the buildings and all came near perishing when the flames broke out under them, but they were rescued by ladders. The fire has wiped out some of the landmarks of the city. All the buildings were among the most substantial in the city with possibly the large old Pike building.

About 1:30 this morning flames were discovered in the cellar of George Joffee's grocery, in the Pike building on Fourth street, between Vine and Walnut.

LIQUORS EXPLODE.

An hour later there was an explosion, supposed to come from liquors in storage, and the flames soon afterwards shot up through the roof of the six-story stone-front building and from that time on for several hours the fire was beyond control. The Pike building was totally destroyed, including the office of the United States express company, the Adams express company, White's restaurant, owned by Maynard & Kerr, George Joffee's grocery, John B. Martin's restaurant, Empson's confectionery, Henry Strauss' cigar store and the offices of the Pike theater company, on the first floor; the Pike theater auditorium and green rooms and other offices on the second floor, and all of the offices on the third, fourth and fifth floors.

The Seasongood building, adjoining the Pike building on the west, at the corner of Vine and Fourth, was badly damaged.

The building adjoining the Pike building on the east, owned by the L. B. Harrison estate and occupied by the Robert Clarke company, publishers, and Duhme Bros., jewelers, on the first floor, and others in the upper stories, was totally destroyed.

The Fosdick building, east of the Robert Clarke company and Duhme Bros., and occupied by the Norfolk and Western railroad and others, was badly damaged, while the Carlisle building, occupied by the Southern Pacific railroad company and Smith & Sons and the Cincinnati Trust company, on the first floor, and very many offices on the other five floors, were damaged.

The front stone walls of the Pike building and those of adjoining structures, owned by Robert Clarke & Co. and the Duhme Bros.' jewelry store and of the Seasongood buildings, withstood the heat and did not fall. The rear of these structures, however, which are of brick, gave way with the falling floors.

SWEPT ACROSS ALLEY.

The fire swept across the alley known as Baker street and burned

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HENRY. J. MILLER IS INDICTED FOR BRIBERY

Is Arrested and Gives $4,000 Bond--Police Superintendent Gorsline Indicted for Intoxication--Five Justices and Ex-Justices of the Peace Indicted for Overtaxing Fees--Indictments Found in the LaFollette Outrage Cases.

BUT SMALL PART OF LIST YET MADE PUBLIC

True to promise and prediction, the grand jury has handed out several sensations. The chief of them developed today in the arrest of Henry J. Miller, formerly of the Fort Wayne electric corporation, and a well known promoter. The charge upon which he was indicted is bribery, the specific offense relating to an alleged payment of a sum of money to the late Councilman G. R. Hench for his vote and influence in support of an ordinance. Mr. Miller gave bond in the sum of $4,000.

Superintendent of Police H. A. Gorsline was indicted on two counts for intoxication. There is strong opinion that the contest the superintendent promises to make in court against this charge will bring to light an unpleasant and not altogether suspected state of affairs in the police department.

Scarcely less of a sensation was caused by the indictment of Justices of the Peace B. W. Skelton, Emanuel Strass, Michael Tancey and former Justices of the Peace H. F. Bullermann and H. F. France, together with Constables Bagby, Hite, Kennelly and Ford. The charges upon which bills were returned was overtaxing of fees.

While no arrests have as yet been made it is safe to say there will be arrests in connection with the Lafollette outrages at Hoagland.

Only a small percentage of the warrants have been served and there are still many more to be served in the city, including a few saloonkeepers who have been selling liquor without going through the formality of getting a license, a few more gamblers, Justice Tancey, who is not on the list, Fred C. Boltz and others.

LIST OF ARRESTS.

A complete list of those who were arrested today, together with the disposition of their cases, is given below. Without detailing each case, the name of the party indicted is placed first, the offense second, the amount of bail fourth and the bondsman fifth. The list follows:

A. B. Jackson, keeping a gaming house, $200, L. A. Centlivre.

John W. Kannel, manslaughter, $2,000, Perry Archer.

Edward Kleindanz, keeping a gaming house, $200, L. A. Centlivre.

Dennis McFeely, frequenting a gaming house, $200, A. B. Jackson.

H. F. Bullerman, taxing illegal fees, $500, H. C. Braun.

Henry J. Miller, bribery, $4,000, Charles H. Worden.

Justin Adams, rape, $1,000, jail to await bail.

H. F. France, taxing illegal fees, $500, J. E. K. France.

Michael Kennelly, taxing illegal fees, $500, — Kennelly.

William Engle, frequenting a gaming house, $200, H. C. Braun.

Benjamin F. Skelton, taxing illegal fees, $500, J. B. Harper.

Emanuel Strass, taxing illegal fees, $500, Benjamin Rothschild.

Harry Gilbert, keeping a house of ill-fame, $200, J. F. Rodabaugh.

Harvey Hite, taxing illegal fees, $500, T. J. Logan.

Willis Doolittle, keeping house of prostitution, $200, L. A. Centlivre.

H. A. Gorsline, intoxication, $100, William P. Breen.

Lafayette Gearhart, frequenting gambling houses, $100, L. A. Centlivre.

Boyd W. Smith, frequenting gambling houses, two indictments, $100 in each case, L. A. Centlivre.

Solon L. Peck, frequenting gambling houses, $100, L. A. Centlivre.

"Doc" Teeters, frequenting gambling houses, $100, L. A. Centlivre.

Charles Hunf, keeping house of prostitution, $200, Melville Dennie.

William O'Hara, selling liquor without a license, $100, Melville Dennie.

Henry Lew, selling liquor without a license, $100, Melville Dennie.

Fred C. Boltz, selling liquor without a license, $100, A. B. Jackson.

Frank Irey, frequenting gambling houses, $100, Fred C. Boltz.

Michael Tancey, taxing illegal fees, $500, William P. Breen.

A. J. Ford, taxing illegal fees, $500, Allen Zollars.

Marion Wyatt, frequenting gambling houses, $100, Fred C. Boltz.

A. L. Bagby, taxing illegal fees, $500, Wilmer Leonard.

S. R. Miner, keeping a gambling house, $200, W. C. Etzold.

Fred C. Boltz, keeping a gaming house, $200, A. B. Jackson.

A BUSY PLACE.

The busiest place in Fort Wayne today was the sheriff's office and there was no bargain counter sale on either. Every man who stepped up to the desk paid the tag price for everything and some of them went considerably above the limit. The office deputies were kept busy filling out bonds, administering qualification oaths, entering the records and taxing up fees. Sometimes as many as three customers were waiting to be served at one time. All the way through it was a very busy day.

Judge O'Rourke finished signing up the bench warrants on the seventy-four indictments returned by the grand jury and last evening they were placed in the hands of the sheriff for service. All the warrants served today were upon persons residing in the city with a single exception, that of Justin Adams indicted for rape. He lives about four miles east of New Haven and Deputy Huguenard had him in the office by 9:30 this forenoon. Adams was out on bond and was brought in to give new surety, the amount of his bail being increased to $1,000. He was the only one who failed to give bail and went to jail, pending the arrival of his father, who will adjust matters sometime today.

FIRST MAN TO BAT.

A. B. Jackson had the distinction of being the first man sent after, having been indicted for keeping a

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KNAPP CONFESSES TO FIVE MURDERS

In Sworn Statement He Tells of Killing His Three Wives and Two Other Women--Is Degenerate.

Hamilton, Ohio, Feb. 26.—Five murders, the victims of which were all women and two of them his wives—such is the revolting record of Albert Knapp, given today in a sworn confession given by the murderer before Mayor Bosch.

Knapp, according to the police, is a degenerate of a pronounced type. The murder of his third wife, Annie Goddard Knapp, which led to Knapp's arrest yesterday in Indianapolis, was done "I don't know why," to quote the prisoner.

KNAPP'S CONFESSION.

Knapp's confession, which was sworn to before Mayor Bosch, is as follows:

"On January 21, 1894, I killed Emma Littleman in a lumber yard in Gest street, Cincinnati. On August 1, 1894, I killed May Eckert in Walnut street, opposite the Y. M. C. A., in Cincinnati. On August 7, 1894, I killed my wife, Jennie Conners Knapp, under the canal bridge in Liberty street, Cincinnati, and threw her into the canal. In Indianapolis, in July, 1895, I killed Ida Gebhard. On December 22, 1902, I killed my wife, Annie Knapp, at 336 South Fourth street, in Hamilton, and threw her into the river at Lindenwald. This is the truth.

"I make this statement by my own free will and not by the request of any officer or anyone else.

"Albert Knapp.

"Sworn to before me this 26th day of February, 1903.

"C. F. Bosch, Mayor."

CLEARS UP MYSTERY.

The confession clears up the mystery of at least one death—that of Jennie Connors Knapp, Knapp's second wife. This woman's body was found in the sluggish waters of the canal near Cincinnati. Bruises were discovered on the head, but an investigation led to no definite conclusion concerning the manner of her death.

The most recent of the murders to which Knapp has confessed—that of his third wife, Annie Goddard Knapp, of Hamilton—led to his arrest at the home of his fourth bride in Indianapolis. An uncle of the victim, hearing of Knapp's marriage to a Miss Gamble in Indianapolis a few days after the mysterious disappearance of his niece, formerly Annie Goddard, started an investigation.

The police were prepared for a grewsome story today, Knapp having admitted his guilt of the Goddard murder last night, but they were dumbfounded at the revelations which the prisoner made when put under oath today.

ASSAULTED WOMEN.

After his confession Knapp admitted that he had repeatedly assaulted women. He said:

"I met Emma Littleman in the lumber yard and choked her to death when she made an outcry. I went into the room with the Eckert girl, sat down with her. She cried and I strangled her with a towel and hurried from the house.

"I was mad at my wife, Jennie Conners Knapp, when I killed her. We were walking along Liberty street. I sat her down under the bridge and choked her to death. I deny that I poisoned her. I never told any one I did. After she was dead I threw the body into the canal.

"Ida Gebhard I killed, but my memory is not clear as to what I did. I cannot tell what made me kill these people. I could not help it. Some kind of a desire to kill took hold of me and I could not resist. I am sorry for my crimes, but now I hope they will be easy with me."

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

After the confessions a formal charge of murder in the first degree was filed.

Attorney C. E. Tenney, Cincinnati, was allowed to see Knapp and told him to make no further statement. Knapp was surprised that his people had secured a lawyer for him.

Knapp talks much of the Pearl Bryan murder and is afraid of being lynched.

LIVED IN TERRE HAUTE.

Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 26.—Alfred Knapp, who confessed to five murders at Hamilton, Ohio, formerly lived here. He was sent to the penitentiary for one year in 1884 for burglary. His first wife was Miss Emma Stubbs, a 17-year-old girl, whom he married about 1883. After living with him a few months she left him and secured a divorce.

WEST VIRGINIA RIOTERS IN JAIL

Five Persons are Dead as a Result of the Battle Wednesday

Charleston, W. Va., Feb. 26.—Deputy Marshal Cunningham and posse brought ten of the Stanisford mob here this morning and lodged them in jail on charges of violating an injunction order of the United States court. Sixty-one are held by state authorities at Beckley under warrants of conspiracy under the Redmonds act, but the government will ask that they be turned over for criminal prosecution for armed resistance to federal authority. Five are dead as a result of the battle Wednesday morning and sixteen wounded are accounted for. Howard Smith, reported shot yesterday, escaped with three bullet holes in his clothing. Deputy marshals report that armed resistance to federal authority in the New and Piney fields has been thoroughly broken as a result of the battle at Stanisford. The posse captured, besides seventy-one prisoners, nearly 100 guns, sixty pistols and a ton of ammunition. The mob had been marching from one mine to another intimidating those at work and placing guards at the mouth of mines to prevent others from working. Many United Mine Workers her denounce this mob violence and approve the action of the officers.

THE HAPNER FUNERAL.

The remains of the late J. E. Hepner, the Nickel Plate brakeman who met death in an accident at Arcadia, Ohio, Tuesday evening, arrived in the city last evening and were taken to the family home, 512 West Third street. The funeral services will occur at South Whitley tomorrow, the funeral party leaving the city at 12:15 o'clock. From the depot at South Whitley the cortege will proceed directly to the United Brethren church, where the funeral services will be held.

Judge E. D. Hartman, of Auburn, is a visitor in the city.

THE PRESIDENT GOES TO NEW YORK

Will Speak at Celebration of Anniversary of John Wesley's Birth.

Washington, Feb. 26.—President Roosevelt left for New York at 11 o'clock today to attend the bicentenary celebration of the anniversary of the birth of John Wesley to be held in Carnegie hall tonight. The president was accompanied by Secretary Loeb, Capt. W. S. Cowles, his military aide, Stenographer Latta and his physician. The president's train, consisting of two cars, was run as the second section of the regular Pennsylvania railroad express. The party is due to arrive at West Thirty-third street at 5 p. m. The president will dine at the residence of Samuel W. Bowne, 35 West Fifty-seventh street.

This evening President Roosevelt and party will attend the celebration in Carnegie hall, where the president will be the principal orator. He will leave the hall immediately upon the conclusion of his speech to meet a private engagement at the University club. The special train is expected to leave for Washington shortly after midnight, arriving here at 7:20 o'clock tomorrow morning.

REPUBLICAN EDITORS MEET.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The National Republican Editorial Association of the United States met here today in convention at the Arlington hotel. About seventy-five members were present, including representatives of the Republican Editorial associations of Illinois, Indiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, Missouri, New York, Ohio, Iowa, Kansas, North Carolina, Rhode Island, Virginia and Tennessee. The convention was called to order by President John A. Sleicher, editor of Leslie's Weekly, New York.

THE BOWLERS ELECT.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 26.—The national bowlers' congress elected these officers: J. J. Rowe, of Lakewood, Ohio, president; C. F. Moll, first vice president; Frank Padeloup, Chicago, treasurer; Samuel Karpf, Dayton, secretary.

SMOOT HAS MORE THAN ONE WIFE

Protest Filed in Senate by Utah Clergyman Against His Taking Seat.

FACTS ARE SET FORTH

Protestant Asks That the Senate Demand Secret Archives from Salt Lake

Washington, Feb. 26.—Senator Burrows, chairman of the senate committee on privileges and elections, today presented to the senate a protest signed by Rev. J. L. Leilich, in the case of Senator-elect Reed Smoot, of Utah, urging that Mr. Smoot shall not be permitted to take his seat in the senate. Mr. Leilich is in charge of Methodist missions in Utah, and resides in Salt Lake City. He is in Washington as the representative of the ministers' association of Salt Lake. His statement was sworn to.

Mr. Leilich declares that Smoot is a polygamist and now has a plural wife, although he deems it inexpedient to give the maiden name of the lady at this time.

TEXT OF THE CHARGE.

His charge on this point is as follows:

"That the said Reed Smoot is a polygamist, and that since the admission of Utah into the union of states he, although then and there having a legal wife, married a plural wife in the state of Utah, in violation of the laws and compacts hereinbefore described and since such plural or polygamous marriage the said Reed Smoot has lived and cohabited with both his legal wife and his plural wife in the state of Utah and elsewhere, as occasion offered; and that the only record of such plural marriage is the secret record made and kept by the authorities of the church of Jesus Christ of latter day saints, which secret is in the exclusive custody and control of the first presidency and the quorum of the twelve apostles of the said church, of which the said Reed Smoot is one, and is beyond the control or power of the protestants.

WANTS RECORD PRODUCED.

"Your protestant respectfully asks that the senate of the United States or its appropriate committee compel the first presidency and the quorum of the twelve apostles and the said Reed Smoot to produce such secret record for the consideration of the senate. Your protestant says that he is advised by counsel that it is inexpedient at this time to give further particulars concerning such plural marriage and its results, or the place in which it was solemnized, or the maiden name of the plural wife."

Mr. Leilich also asserts that "President Joseph F. Smith, the president of the Mormon church, is living in open polygamy and has had a child born to him by his 'plural wife,' as late as 1898."

And also that "President Lorenzo Snow lived and died in the practice of polygamy and polygamous cohabitation, and that his 'plural wife,' Minnie Jensen Snow, bore him a child as late as the winter of 1896-7."

An enjoyable feature of the farmers' institute in the assembly room of the court house last evening was violin solos by Miss Gladys Lillian Carey, accompanied by Miss Marie Speigel on the piano. Miss Carey's solos were well rendered and she was encored each time.

A couple of colored men indulging in the harmless pastime of battering each others faces, were rudely interrupted by the patrol wagon, which bore them to the city bastile.

WILL OBSTRUCT LEGISLATION

House Democrats Issue Statement of Their Attitude on Pending Bills.

BUTLER CASE ANIMUS

Will Not Permit Business to Go on Without Quorum—Begin It Today.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The house democratic caucus today adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That we shall resist by all honorable means at our command the unseating of contestee Butler and the seating of contestant Wagoner, being convinced that the republican managers in the house have determined to disregard the large majority of 6,300 votes by which contestee Butler was returned and dispose of the contest arbitrary in partisanship without reference to its merits and without effort or desire to learn what they are, and that by way of emphasizing our condemnation of persistent partisan disregard of the rights of the minority and this wanton outrage, lacking even the sorry excuse of pretended partisan necessity, and to prevent the passage of vicious measures, which there is every reason for believing the majority have planned to rush through the house in the confusion incident to the ending of the final session of an expiring congress, we pledge ourselves to stand together in support of the demand for the presence of a quorum at all times, for the transaction of business and a recorded yea

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MABINI TAKES THE OATH OF LOYALTY

Former Filipino Leader Back from Exile and Ready to be Good.

Manila, Feb. 26.—Mabini, the former president of the Filipino supreme court, and at one time minister for foreign affairs in the Filipino government, who had previously persistently refused to take the oath of allegiance, took the necessary oath today on board the transport Thomas on his arrival from the Island of Guam, to which place he was deported after his surrender in December, 1899, and was permitted to land. At the request of Mabini the hour of his landing was not announced, so as to prevent demonstrations. Ricarte, the former Filipino general, who had also been a prisoner in the Island of Guam, arrived here with Mabini, but as Ricarte refused to take the oath of allegiance he was placed on board the steamer Gaelic and sent to Hong Kong. Both Mabini and Ricarte refused to take the oath at Guam, Mabini asking that he be allowed to defer so doing until he reached Manila. Governor Taft instructed Collector Schuster to board the Thomas and administer the oath. Mabini at first demurred, saying he came under the amnesty decree, but he finally acquiesced. Ricarte said he wanted to confer with his friends and added that he might take the oath before the United States consul at Kong Kong.

General San Miguel has evidently made good his retreat to the Morong mountains, as the scouting parties have failed to locate him. The ladrones abandoned Bosoboso when reinforcements reached the government troops.

The quilting club of St. John's Lutheran church was entertained this afternoon at the home of Miss Frech, 9 Romy avenue.

HAVERT GETS OLD JOB BACK AGAI

Sentence is Suspended and His Employer Gives Young Man Another Chance.

Judge O'Rourke in the circuit court suspended the sentence of Louis T. Havert, who pleaded guilty to grand larceny, and his former employers, Menter, Rosenbloom & Co., have reinstated the young man in his old position as collector. Manager Gardner appeared before the court in the young man's behalf, and it is believed that it was largely upon his request that the sentence was suspended. Mr. Gardner says the past will be forgiven, and Havert has now an opportunity to begin anew.

The charge against the young fellow was embezzlement, and the case presents one of the strange freaks of the workings of the legal machinery. Havert was arrested Tuesday evening before he had been in town five minutes. He was the last person indicted by the grand jury and the first person brought to trial, having been arraigned Wednesday immediately after noon. After his plea of giulty a number of witnesses were introduced to testify to his previous good character. Havert is but 19 years of age.

STARTLING DISCLOSURES.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 26.—The Post-Dispatch today says that startling disclosures of a system of traffic in young women under police protection are to be made by the grand jury as a result of a raid on resorts which began today under the direction of Circuit Attorney Folk. There are said to be many agents in country towns about St. Louis who daily send recruits to St. Louis, luring them from home with promise of lucrative employment.

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C. H. Worden returned home this morning from Oxford, Ohio.

PLAN A GREAT CORN CONTEST

Allen County Farmers Invited to Compete at Next Fort Wayne Fair.

MR. JOHNSON'S ADDRESS

Farmers' Institute Discussed Fruit Culture and Corn Growing Today.

The supplementary farmers' institute which has been held in the assembly room of the court house came to a close this afternoon after a most interesting day's program, in which the presentation of the subjects themselves and the discussions which followed were most helpful.

Chairman Kell led the afternoon talk on "Growing Corn," and he was followed by W. R. Brown and Alexander Johnson along various lines of corn propagation. The attendance has not been large, but the interest has been marked.

CORN TO BE KING.

The feature of the afternoon session was President Alexander Johnson's announcement that corn was to be king at the Fort Wayne fair this year and that to this end the fair management had decided upon special premiums larger than those ever given for corn exhibits at a similar exhibition. In part Mr. Johnson said:

"The purpose of the Fort Wayne fair is to encourage agriculture. To make farming more profitable and thereby to promote the prosperity of the whole county is what it stands for. The directors propose to take some one line of farming every year and make that a specialty. In doing this they will not neglect other lines. The extra attention to the specialty chosen means additional work and more premiums.

"The specialty for 1903 is corn. Just plain, old-fashioned, every-day corn. The corn crop of Indiana averages 4,000,000 acres or 140,000,000 bushels. The corn crop of Allen county averages 50,000 acres or 1,875,000 bushels. That is to say that the average for Allen county, taken through a series of years, is two bushels and one-half per acre more than the average for the state. At the price today that means about $50,000 more for our 50,000 acres than was gained for the average 50,000 acres in the state.

"We have in the state a corn growers' association. These people are cranks on growing corn. They say that the average of Indiana ought to be over sixty bushels instead of thirty-five. They say there are millions of acres in Indiana which properly cultivated would produce a hundred bushels every year. They believe a little more scientific knowledge, a little more care in working, in selecting seed, in general attention to the crop, would enable the average farmer of Indiana to add 25 per cent. to his average yield of corn.

"The directors of the Fort Wayne fair do not make the above assertions. They do believe, however, there is something in them and they propose to spend $200 in prizes, as much more in extra work, and a great deal of effort in bringing the above claims of the Indiana Corn Growers' association before the farmers of Allen county. The directors of the Fort Wayne fair believe that the farmers of Allen county might increase their annual corn crop by 10 per cent.

SOME POSSIBILITIES.

"Suppose they did. That would mean, at the price of corn today, $54,400 gained to the county. Suppose the farmers used, or sold or fed just what they are using, selling and feeding today, and sold the extra 10 per cent., which would be 18,750 bushels, at the market price today for cash. That would mean about $1,500 every week in the year to be spent for comforts or luxuries at the stores, or to be invested, or to be used for starting the young people in life. Now, remember this 10 per cent. is less than half the increase which the corn growers' association think possible. But suppose only 5 per cent. increase was gained, and supposing this was only gained by one-third of the farmers of the county. We would still have an addition to the value of the corn crop of Allen county of $12,400.

"Now believing as above stated and desiring to stimulate progress and enterprise, the directors propose a contest. They offer $100 in prizes for the best ten bushels of corn They offer $100 in prizes for the best acre of corn. In each case the premiums will be divided in four prizes —$50, $25, $15, $10—for the first, second, third and fourth best exhibit. The prize for the best acre of corn is limited to farmers of Allen county. The prize for the best ten bushels is open to the farmers of the Twelfth congressional district. In all cases the corn must be exhibited by the man who grew it and entries must be made on or before July 1, 1903, at the office of the secretary in the county court house. The judge of the contest will be H. F. McMahan, president of the Indiana Corn Growers' association, and the rules of judging will be such as that corn growers' association prescribe. The judging will be partly on quantity and partly on quality. Then ten-bushel lots which gain the four prizes will become the property of the Fair association and will be sold by auction on the last day of the fair. No bid will be accepted for more than five bushels nor for less than one bushel. The corn grown on the successful acres will be exhibited at the fair and will be also sold by auction, but it will be the property of the man who grew it.

WATCHING THE GROWTH.

"The method of ascertaining the best acre of corn will involve a good deal of work. As soon as possible after the entries are made the acre lots will be surveyed and measured off by a sworn surveyor. Committees will be appointed in each township from which the entries come who will watch the crop as it grows, a sworn viewer acting for the fair association will be present when the corn is cut and when it is husked and all possible precautions will be taken to convince every competitor that the contest is absolutely fair and impartial.

"When the Fair opens Corn will be King. A large tent will be devoted exclusively to the corn exhibit. At 11 o'clock each morning of the fair the judge will give a lecture on corn growing and the winners will be invited to tell the audience how they came to do it. The local newspapers will be expected to give a great deal of attention to this contest during the summer. We believe that if the same amount of attention should be given in Allen county, to the increasing the yield of our 50,000 acres of corn, which has frequently been given in this and other counties to introducing new crops, some of which are not half so profitable as corn, or as corn can be made to be, that the results would be much more profitable. At any rate it seems worth while to try and the Fort Wayne Fair association invites the farmers of Allen county to join with it in giving special attention to corn. We don't ask the farmers to neglect anything else and we do not propose to neglect anything else at the fair. The live stock and fruit interests will receive just as much attention as last year, but let us join hands and see if we cannot do something this year which shall demonstrate the value of Allen county land and the enterprise and industry of Allen county farmers.

"Let us make up our minds to hammer away at corn growing until we gain at least an average increase of 10 per cent for the county. Remember that an average increase of 10 per cent at present prices would mean $75,000 in cash added to the incomes of Allen county farmers every year."

CARE OF THE ORCHARD.

W. F. DeVilbiss gave the initial address at the opening of the institute Thursday morning, his subject being "Care and Cultivation of the Orchard." Mr. DeVilbiss, who is one of the most successful fruit growers in Allen county, emphasized first the necessity of keeping all dead limbs cut from the trees. A dead limb, he said, was more of a tax on the strength and vitality of a tree than a dozen live limbs. Another important requisite was that the ground must be broken up and kept open to receive the rains all the year round. The tree does not masticate its food; it drinks it, hence the necessity of a moist subsoil. He urged the necessity of protecting the birds in order to rid the trees of insects, the three most destructive of which are the tent caterpillar, the coddling moth and the canker worm. There are some twenty other varieties of "tramps" of lesser importance, yet it is essential that all be eliminated so far as possible. Most farmers, said the speaker, purchase trees, then dig a small hole in the hard ground, devoid of moisture, stick them into it and expect the tree to prosper. One might as well plant potatoes under the same circumstances and expect a paying crop. Mr. DeVilbiss also spoke at some length upon the fungus diseases, the scab and the blight, which he said might be controlled by the use of insecticides and fungicides, and he gave recipes for the manufacture of these preparations. For the fungicide he would take six pounds of blue vitriol and six pounds of slacked lime, dilute each in twenty-five gallons of water and then mix. To make this an insecticide add four ounces of paris green. To make an insecticide alone, use one pound of paris green to 250 gallons of water, not stronger.

Mrs. DeVilbiss spoke on "How We Grow Peaches in Northern Indiana," describing the methods used at the DeVilbiss farm in the production of immense peach crops, and illustrating her remarks on trimming trees by a practical exemplification upon some sprouts which she had brought for the purpose. Later followed a discussion upon the smaller fruits.

BIRDS, BEES, BLOSSOMS.

In his address Wednesday evening Alexander Johnson made a strong plea for the protection of the birds, his theme being "Birds, Bees and Blossoms." If the birds and bees were preserved, said the speaker, the blossoms would be saved. He protested against the killing of birds until one knows why he is doing so, asserting that every bird was placed on earth for some purpose, just as we were, and until one learns what that purpose is, and that the bird is not doing its duty, do not molest it. Mr. Johnson told of studies with reference to the caring for orchards, cited the worth of the birds in fruit-growing and advocated a closer investigation into the worth of the native birds. "Book knowledge is a great thing," said the speaker, in conclusion, "but practical experience is a much greater, and when you have the two together—well, there is no reason why you should not be successful."

Mrs. Kline, of Huntington county, who addressed the institute held earlier in the winter, was present again by special invitation, and her theme Wednesday evening was "Benefits of Organization for Women." Mrs. Kline believes farmer's wives should be organized—should have their social clubs and gatherings much the same as the women of the cities, and asserted the belief that such association would be most helpful in the interchange of experiences and the cultivation of a closer personal friendship.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders

for Children. Mother Gray, for years a nurse in the Children's Home in New York, treated children successfully with a remedy, now prepared and placed in the drug stores, called Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children. They are as harmless as milk, pleasant to take and never fail. A certain cure for feverishness, constipation, headache, teething and stomach disorders and remove worms. At all druggists, 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Samples sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

ABOUT THE CITY HALL.

Since Tuesday a number of building permits have been issued, the largest one to the Eckart Packing company, which is rebuilding the wing recently destroyed by an explosion. This improvement is estimated to cost about $10,000. Others were: Franklin Roberts, house on Oliver street, to cost $2,000; J. O. Brown, brick house on Main street, old plat, to cost $2,300; Lewis Leuman, house on Gay street, to cost $900; Lewis Leuman, house on John street, to cost $1,500; J. O. Grubb, house on West Main street, to cost $1,800.

SHOOTS ALLEGED BETRAYER.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 26.—Because Fritz Broderson refused to marry her Jennie Thomas, a stenographer, last night followed him to his room, shot him dead with a revolver she had purchased an hour before, and then put a bullet into her own head, which will probably cause her death. The girl says Broderson betrayed her a year ago under promise of marriage and then abandoned her. She went to Omaha and when her baby died a few weeks ago she says she wrote Broderson, pleading with him to keep good his promise and threatening that if he did not she would kill him. He ignored her letter and she came to Lincoln yesterday and carried out her threat. Broderson was a clerk in a wholesale house. Miss Thomas formerly live with her parents here.

FIGHT FOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

San Francisco, Feb. 26.—The contest for the feather-weight championship of the world between Young Corbett and Eddie Hanlon, which will be decided tonight at the Mechanics' pavilion, promises to attract one of the largest audiences that ever witnessed a ring battle. Both men are reported to be in perfect condition. Corbett was two and a half pounds over weight yesterday, but said he would have no trouble in getting down to 130 pounds by tonight. The betting is 10 to 6 in favor of Corbett, but sporting men predict that it will be about 10 to 8 at the ringside.

DE WITT'S WITCH HAZEL SALVE

The only positive cure for blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles, cuts, burns, bruises, eczema and all abrasions of the skin. DeWitt's is the only Witch Hazel Salve that is made from the pure, unadulterated witch hazel—all others are counterfeits. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is made to cure—counterfeits are made to sell. Meyer Bros. & Co.

Mrs. W. P. Denny has returned from a visit at Rome City.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures the cough caused by attack of la grippe. It heals the lungs. Sold by Dreier & Bro.

AT BED TIME I TAKE A PLEASANT HERB DRINK

THE NEXT MORNING I FEEL BRIGHT AND NEW AND MY COMPLEXION IS BETTER.

My doctor says it acts gently on the stomach, liver and kidneys and is a pleasant laxative. This drink is made from herbs, and is prepared for use as easily as tea. It is called "Lane's Tea" or

LANE'S FAMILY MEDICINE

All druggists or by mail 25 cts. and 50 cts. Buy it. Lane's Family Medicine moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this necessary. Address, Box 295, Le Roy, N. Y.

PRESIDING ELDERS HOLD A CONFERENCE

Methodist Clergymen Were in Session in Fort Wayne Wednesday

Presiding elders of the north Indiana conference of the Methodist Episcopal church were gathered in Fort Wayne Wednesday for a preliminary conference before the sessions of the annual body at Noblesville in April.

There are six districts in the north Indiana conference and the meeting was held at the home of Rev. W. H. Daniel, presiding elder of the Fort Wayne district, at his home on West Jefferson street. All the districts were represented save Goshen, whose presiding elder, Rev. B. A. Kemp, died a few months ago. Rev. W. H. Simpson is acting presiding elder for the district.

Others present included Rev. H. N. Herrick, of the Kokomo district; Rev. C. U. Wade, of the Muncie district; Rev. G. N. Hill, of the Richmond district, and Rev. E. L. Seamans, of the Wabash district. It is stated that the session of the bishop's cabinet was merely for the purpose of conferring over the work of the past year and the outlook and needs for the future prior to the meeting of the annual conference.

OPINION NOT COMPLETED.

City Attorney Shambaugh stated this morning that he had not yet completed the preparation of his opinion regarding the signing of the new gas contracts, and that the opinion might not be ready for publication until Saturday or Monday. The city attorney is proceeding under a motion passed by the city council Tuesday evening to advise the public of its rights in the situation, but he said this morning that until he had thoroughly investigated the question he could give no idea of the nature of the position which the public will be advised to take.

GOES TO WOLFF BROTHERS.

Hugh M. Beaver, for more than four years a salesman at the Douglas shoe store, has resigned his position there and on Monday next will become manager of the shoe department of Wolff Brothers' store. Mr. Beaver is a well known and popular young business man, and he has been with the Douglas store since it was first established in this city. The new position is a decided promotion, and carries with it a handsome advance in salary. The position was offered him a year ago, but he preferred to remain with the Douglas company until the present time. Mr. Beaver is a son of C. B. Beaver, agent of the United States Express company. He will be succeeded at the Douglas store by Herbert Beaston.

END OF BITTER FIGHT.

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abcess on my right lung," writes J. F. Hughes, of DuPont, Ga., "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health." It conquers all Coughs, Colds and Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed by Dreier & Bro.'s drug store. Price 50c and $1. Trial bottles free.

DIRECTORS TO MEET.

The regular meeting of the directors of the Fort Wayne Commercial club will be held this evening. A variety of matters, largely of a routine nature, however, are scheduled to come up before the board.

THE EASY PILL.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers do not gripe nor weaken the system. They cure biliousness, jaundice, constipation and inactive livers by arousing the secretions, moving the bowels gently, yet effectually, and giving such tone and strength to the glands of the stomach, liver and bowels that the cause of the trouble is removed entirely. These famous little pills exert a decided tonic effect upon the organs involved, and if their use is continued for a few days there will be no return of the trouble. Meyer Bros. & Co.

TRIAL AT COLUMBIA CITY.

The case of Mrs. Siebler vs. the Fort Wayne Trust company, to set aside a mortgage, is on trial in the Whitley circuit court at Columbia City today. Secretary E. H. McDonald, of the Trust company, is in attendance. Judge W. J. Vesey and J. M. Barrett represent the Trust company, while Olds & Doughman appear for the plaintiff.

WOMAN FIRES AFTER A RUSE.

Vincennes, Ind., Feb. 26.—Mrs. Mary Willaite entered the home of Mrs. Sarah Henry late yesterday afternoon. She had her hand wrapped in a white cloth. When questioned as to the cause she suddenly flashed a revolver against Mrs. Henry's temple and fired three shots, none of which took effect. Mrs. Henry is a dressmaker. She is a comely woman of middle age. Mrs. Wilhite is fifty years old and gained an entrance under pretense of having a dress made. The trouble had its origin, it is alleged, over attentions paid to the dressmaker by Mrs. Wilhite's former husband. Mrs. Wilhite has been arrested.

INDIANA PLANS WITS' UNDOING

Laporte, Ind., Feb. 26.—All Indiana, including Posey county, has grown weary of being made a butt of by the alleged "funny" men of the Chicago newspapers. Considering the claim of Indiana that the best and the brightest people in Chicago have gone thither from this state, and that the only famous authors in Chicago are Indiana men, the people of this state regard the alleged "funny" paragraphs aforesaid as being prompted by pure jealousy. Indianians claim that Chicago would never have been heard of but for the bright sons of genius the Hoosiers have sent here, and they propose to put a crimp in the "funny" men by changing the names of several Indiana towns which have hitherto been "meat" for the paragraphers.

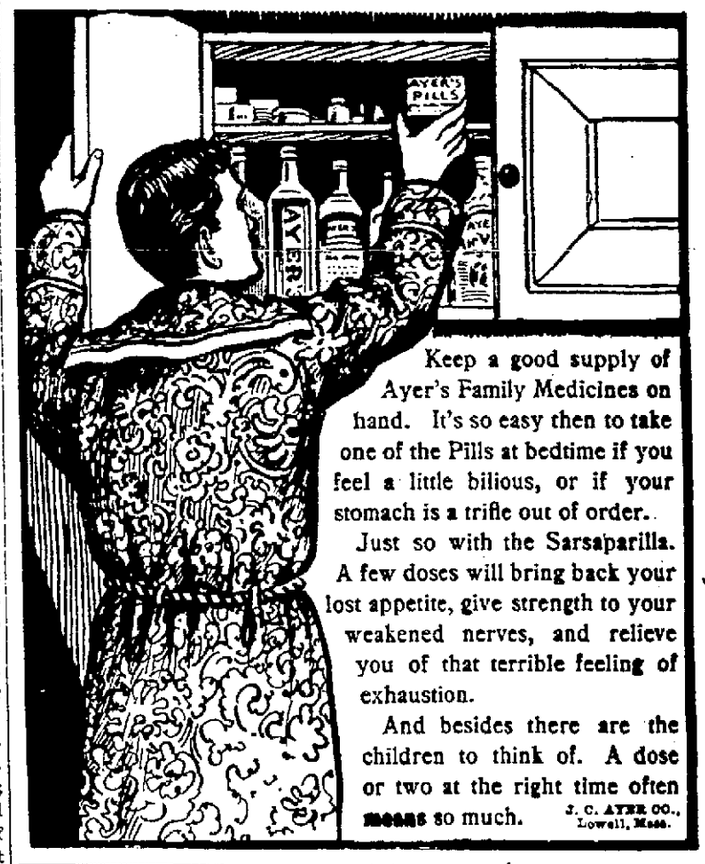
Thus they are about to petition the government to change the name of Gaytown to "Ade," of Stringtown to "McCutcheon," of Dogtown to "Tarkington," of Bugtown to "Riley." Other names suggested for postoffices with the Posey county flavor in their names are "Altruria," "Graustark," "Craneycrow," "Ben Hur" and others suggestive of Indiana's immortal geniuses.

The movement is spreading, and it is hoped that soon there will not be a rag left for the funny men to chew on.

Mothers can safely give Foley's Honey and Tar to their children for coughs and colds, for it contains no opiates or other poisons. Sold by Dreier & Bro.

CANTONESE ARE AGITATED.

Paris, Feb. 26.—A steamer which has arrived at Marseilles with the Chinese mail also brought advices from Canton to the effect that the Cantonese are agitated over the arrival there of two American warships, which gave rise to the report that the United States desired to secure the small island of Ho-Nan, occupying a strategic position in front of Canton. The Chinese and some of the foreign element credited the report.



Keep a good supply of Ayer's Family Medicines on hand. It's so easy then to take one of the Pills at bedtime if you feel a little bilious, or if your stomach is a trifle out of order.

Just so with the Sarsaparilla. A few doses will bring back your lost appetite, give strength to your weakened nerves, and relieve you of that terrible feeling of exhaustion.

And besides there are the children to think of. A dose or two at the right time often means so much. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

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904 CALHOUN ST.

Formerly of the Old Retail Store of GEO. DeWALD & CO.

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Our Ready-Made Suits Are In . . . .

LADIES WHO KNOW THE GOODS WE CARRY IN THIS LINE UNDERSTAND WHAT THIS ANNOUNCEMENT MEANS. THEY ARE AWARE THAT THEY WILL BE SHOWN THE MOST STYLISH, TASTEFUL AND GENTEEL GARMENTS THAT ARE BROUGHT TO THIS CITY.

The Exclusive Style, Superior Quality and Perfect Fit

OF THE SUITS, JACKETS AND SKIRTS WE HAVE BEEN HANDLING FOR THE LAST TWO YEARS HAVE MADE OUR SUIT DEPARTMENT THE POPULAR RESORT FOR LADIES WHO ARE PARTICULAR IN REGARD TO AVOIDING A COMMON, OR "EVERYBODY'S STYLE," IN THE APPEARANCE OF THE COSTUME THEY WEAR.

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Laxative Bromo Quinine Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

EVEN IF You had a NECK As long as this fellow and had SORE THROAT ALL THE WAY DOWN Tonsiline WOULD QUICKLY CURE IT.

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THURSDAY, FEB. 26, 1903.

TONIGHT.

Unions—Knights of Labor, No. 2315; Electrical Workers, No. 138; Beer Bottlers, No. 275; Horseshoers, No. 81; Shovelers and Diggers, No. 9243; Sheet Metal Workers, No. 156.

Miscellaneous—Board of works; lecture by Miss Ben-Oliel at First Baptist church.

Fraternal—Fort Wayne Camp, No. 656, Royal Neighbors of America; Ben Hur Court, No. 96; Wayne Tent, No. 54, K. O. T. M.; Summit City, No. 36, A. O. U. W.; Harmony, No. 19, I. O. O. F.; Modern American Fraternal Order; Wayne Commandery Benevolent Legion.

Masonic Temple—Friday night, "The Two Schools."

Saturday matinee and night, "The Katzenjammer Kids."

South Dakota is being disturbed by earthquakes. Probably the state has been shocked by the presence of some of the immigrant divorcees that have flocked there.

Evidently very few of the guilty escaped. If they did, it was because they saw it coming. The late grand jury was a grand jury.

A Chicago mathematician has calculated that if the total cash assets of the United States were divided pro rata among the men, women and children of the country the share of each would be $16.76. Hardly worth dividing.

The county officers' lobby at Indianapolis is full of fear that the Gard fee and salary bill will not pass. It may be remarked that this state of mind indicates a healthful outlook for the taxpayers.

With the legislative session near its end, the presiding officers of both branches have become infected with the idea that time has value and will shut off long-winded debate. Up to date it has depended to some extent from which side the long speeches came whether they were permitted to be long-winded or not.

West Virginia is closely pressing Pennsylvania for bloody labor disturbances. A pitched battle has just been fought between a mob of armed mine strikers and a posse of officers. A number were killed, many hurt and some are missing. When it is understood, however, that the strikers were resisting service of a federal injunction surprise at the bloody issue of the affair is apt to subside somewhat. A West Virginia injunction is apt to give strikers a notion that they must fight for their lives.

There is no way of determining in advance how many of the indictments returned by the grand jury will result in the conviction and punishment of evil-doers, but it is safe to predict that a goodly percentage of those against whom true bills were brought in will find practical demonstration that the way of the transgressor is hard. And it is to be noted in connection with the admirable thoroughness with which the grand jury has discharged its duty that here as elsewhere crime, misdemeanor and general lawlessness exist largely because they are tolerated. Enforcement of the law can not wipe out all viciousness, but it can control it and keep it down to the minimum. A session or two each year of the grand working as the grand jury just dismissed has worked would purify Fort Wayne amazingly. Gambling would go, the saloons would be forced to obedience to the law and general cussedness and crookedness would give Fort Wayne a wider birth. Upon the policy pursued in the office of the prosecuting attorney in the main depends the efficaciousness of the law and the suppression of wrong-doing. A diligent, earnest prosecuting attorney, fully alive to his duty and his responsibilities, can wipe out much that is a reproach to the community.

OBSERVANCE OF LENT.

(Indianapolis News.)

Never before since the days prior to the Reformation have so many Christian people, relative to the whole number of Christians, observed Lent as will observe it this year. Some of the most prominent representatives of the non-liturgical churches have sent out an address urging the holding of more frequent services, the keeping of church open, and special effort in the development of the religious life. In some parts of the country there are to be combined efforts to make the season one of spiritual helpfulness. In this city the Methodists have resolved to keep Lent. At the meeting of Methodist ministers held the other day, at which the decision was made, Rev. Worth M. Tippy said that he wanted "to get in touch with historic Christianity," while Dr. Stansfield said that the Roman Catholics and the Episcopalians had given to Lent such an atmosphere as to adapt it admirably to the work that it was proposed to do.

One of the papers representing a church which has not hitherto made much of times and seasons commends all this unreservedly. It insists that all Christians need the church year, and that Lent is a part of it that has been too long neglected. It argues that in keeping Christmas and Easter all Christians have in principle recognized the Christian year, and that Lent is quite as much worthy of observance as Easter—which is, of course, true. But even more important than this is the encouragement that a combined observance of Christian feasts and fasts gives to church or Christian unity. This must be clear to all. Every common practice or common act participated in by Christians tends to bring them closer together and to give them a better understanding of one another. That Sunday has had this effect can not be doubted. We all read the same book, think the same thoughts, hold, in essence, much the same beliefs—in a word we are all Christians. It is so with the great sacraments of the church. They, too, were intended to be, and are, unifiers.

And now we come to this widespread observance of Lent, and it should have the same effect. But those who observe Lent should do so honestly and with a sincere purpose to profit by it. To mean anything to a man he must keep in mind the great event which the season commemorates. If he really does that he can hardly trifle with so solemn an institution.

THE DEATH PENALTY.

A little thing sometimes results in death. Thus a mere scratch, insignificant cuts or puny boils have paid the death penalty. It is wise to have Bucklen's Arnica Salve ever handy. It's the best salve on earth and will prevent fatality, when Burns, Sores, Ulcers and Piles theaten. Only 25c at Dreier & Bro.'s drug store.

WARRANTS OUT FOR STRIKERS.

South Bend, Ind., Feb. 26.—After being on a strike for four weeks 150 employes of the Indiana railway company, operating the lines in Elkhart, Goshen, South Bend and the interurban lines between the cities, have lost their cause, the sympathy of business men and other labor organizations having withdrawn because of the riot early Sunday morning, when a mob of 150 to 175 strikers and friends attempted to wreck and burn the South Bend power house and to do violence to several non-union men. Yesterday State's Attorney Clarke took charge of the matter and issued warrants for the arrest of forty men, including William Schermann, a pioneer labor leader here, and Jesse Perry, leader of the strikers. Those men cannot be found, having left the city. Warrants for twenty-five of the men charge riot, and warrants for two—Wladyslaw Sonski and Andrew Fitzkanitz—charge attempted murder. The sheriff has arrested twelve men, of whom five have pleaded guilty to riot. About fifty have left the city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Young entertained a small company of friends last evening in honor of Miss Huebner, of Toledo, who is the guest of friends in the city for a few days.

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A CITIZEN OF BERNE FELL BY THE WAYSIDE

Mr. Bandeler Took Aboard Too Much—Allowed to Leave the City.

A gentleman giving his name as Bandeler and Berne as his home furnished the only amusement at Judge Dreibelbiss' matinee this morning. Mr. Bandeler was discovered yesterday carrying around a ponderous jag which finally spilled him in the street. When asked to plead to a charge of intoxication he pleasantly remarked: "Ich, yaw, nix." Superintendent Gorsline, who, in the absence of the prosecutor, represented the state, then made a beautiful jab at the German language and asked him in some foreign tongue whether he was drunk yesterday. The prisoner smiled and shook his head. Lieutenant Lapp then appeared on the scene and in choice Wurtemburger asked him again whether he had been drunk yesterday. Then it developed that Bandeler was not a German at all, but a genuine Swiss. The lieutenant then twisted his tongue into the Swiss shape and repeated the question. Thereupon Bandeler's face brightened and he gleefully admitted that he had been drunk and smiled as though the fact were a pleasant memory. Further questioning elicited the information that he was on his way to see his sister in St. Joe county and that he never wanted to see anybody so bad in his life. He said he could get out of town in an hour and when told that there was a train due to leave the south depot in thirty minutes he salaamed low as he mumbled his thanks and ambled out doors.

Dennis Hogan was picked up very drunk last night at the car barns and was too full for utterance—could not even speak his name. He remembered it this morning, though, and pleaded guilty to being drunk. He was fined $1 and costs and was sent below.

Otto Hamerle was the last to answer roll call and he, too, admitted that he had looked long and lovingly upon the wine when it was red, white and blue. As a diversion he sat down on the sidewalk on West Main street and startled the denizens by screaming murder at the top of his voice. After his arrest he tried to get away, but his feet refused to act properly and was soon locked up. He drew an eleven-day package.

A YOUTHFUL TRAVELER.

Several days ago the police department was notified to look out for a runaway boy from Grand Rapids, supposed to be headed this way. He was picked up last night or rather at 3 o'clock this morning by Officer Strodel at the south depot. He said he is 12 years old and that he had just returned from the New Orleans mardi gras and had visited other points since he ran away, beating his way all the time on fast trains. His father was notified and will come after his son this evening.

NABBED A THIEF.

Yesterday the marshal at Huntington notified Superintendent Gorsline to look out for a man named Jack Bowman, a blacksmith by trade, who had stolen a set of dies and a light brown overcoat. Yesterday afternoon the marshal of Huntington came up and with the detectives made a search around town without result. This morning Lieutenant Lapp adjusted his eagle eye and sauntering down Harrison street, found his man at one of the blacksmith shops on that thoroughfare. He took him in and the Huntington officer came and got his man this forenoon. Bowman is also suspected of having broken into a saloon, near the shop at which he worked, and taken some three or four dollars from the till. He is regarded as a bad, bad man in his own baliwick.

A FEW MINOR LOSSES.

The frugal housewife first ties the family bull dog to a stove leg and then carefully deposits her wallet under the wood box while the less careful miss ties her's to her belt, with a fragile chain. The frugal housewife usually finds her purse where she left it, while the less careful miss leaves hers where she can't find it. Last evening Miss Frances Buhr, of 2222 Holton avenue, reported the loss of her pocketbook, containing about $3 in cash and some trinkets, including her visiting cards. Anyone returning the cash can retain one of the cards.

Myrtle Schaller, of 87 Wagner street, also reported the loss of her purse, containing a small amount of money and some papers. She is more anxious for the return of the purse and papers than for the money.

E. Werkman, living at the corner of Pontiac and Smith streets, reported the loss of a gold watch with his name engraved on the case. The watch is a present and Mr. Werkman will pay a handsome reward for its return.

Herman Ehrman, of West Jefferson street, reports the loss of his eight-months-old thoroughbred St. Bernard bitch.

MINOR POLICE NOTES.

Rev. Zartman last night informed the department that a strange horse had been hitched in the rear of his premises. Officer Goeglein investigated and found that the animal was the property of William Moellering, of Montgomery street. The horse had been left at a shoeing shop and the boy who delivered the animal made a mistake and put him into the wrong barn.

The furnace at the Clay street school was not overheated last night, as stated in a morning paper, neither was it smoking. At midnight a bright light was seen in the basement by a passerby and the department was notified. An investigation showed that the furnace door had purposely been left open and the reflected glow made it appear as though there might be a fire. There was no heat and no smoke.

Day Clerk Smith has just completed the curing of a magnificent specimen of mottled fawn skin.

FIGHT ON TOBACCO CHEWERS.

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 26.—All the self-respecting and cleanly people of Milwaukee, led by Mrs. Robert C. Reinerstein and her friends of the women's clubs, have organized a crusade against tobacco chewing and expectoration in public places. Several years ago Mrs. Reinerstein was going home from a ball and a tobacco chewer in the street car ruined her fine dress. Since then she has been trying to enlist the aid of her friends and others in the suppression of the spitting nuisance, but she has never before succeeded. In the present agitation Mrs. Reinerstein has with her the officials of the street car companies, several of the stockholders, the officers of the city health department and all the members of the Milwaukee women's clubs. John I. Beggs, president of the street railway company, has written a letter to Mrs. Reinerstein wishing her all kinds of success and suggesting a side crusade to abolish the women who put change into their mouths and who jump off the cars backward.

CITY BREVITIES.

Joe Getz is ill from a threatened attack of appendicitis.

Miss Henrietta Marx, of Huntington, is the guest of Miss Clara Heilbroner.

The monthly meeting of the Eintracht Singing society will be held Friday evening.

Miss Smyser, of this city, was among the guests at a brilliant colonial ball given at Goshen Tuesday evening.

Hartford City News: Miss Julia Drayer entertained a small company this afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. Park Drayer, of Fort Wayne.

Huntington Democrat: Misses Alice Burns and Francis Blackburn and Mrs. Leonard Woods, of Fort Wayne, attended the L. A. to O. R. C. masquerade ball Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhoads Pool entertained a company of friends very pleasantly Tuesday evening. Music and games were the amusements of the evening and a luncheon was served afterwards.

Elkhart Truth: Miss Kathryne Karasch returned to Fort Wayne today after being the guest of Mrs. John Nadohy for the past week. Miss Karasch was formerly of this city, but is at present employed as nurse at St. Joseph's hospital at Fort Wayne.

BUILDING BONES.

Of Great Importance That Children Have Proper Food.

A child will grow up with weak and small bones or strong and sturdy frame, depending on the kind of food given.

That's why feeding the youngsters is of such great importance. The children do not select the food—the responsibility rests with the parent or guardian, or with you if you select the food for a boy or girl.

The scientific selection of this food should begin as early as possible. That's when the delicate little plant needs the tenderest care. A well known lady of Calistoga, Calif., says: "About two years ago my little niece was taken sick. When medical aid was called one physician pronounced the case curvature of the spine; another called it softening of the bones and gave but little hope of her recovery. For weeks she had been failing before her parents thought it anything but trouble from her teething.

"She had been fed on mushes and soft foods of different kinds, but at last her stomach could retain scarcely anything. At this time she had become a weak little skeleton of humanity that could not much more than stand alone.

"The doctors changed her food several times until at last she was put on Grape-Nuts, which she relished from the first and ate at almost every meal, and her recovery has been wonderful. She has been gaining ever since in strength and weight.

"She has eaten dozens of packages of Grape-Nuts in the last year and a half and the child is now a rosy-cheeked and healthy little girl, still clinging to her Grape-Nuts.

"It is plain the food has saved her life by giving her body the needed material to keep it well and the bone material to build with." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

THE SATURDAY EVENING POST

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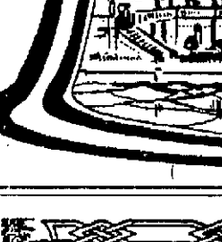
Americans of To-Day and To-Morrow

By Senator Albert J. Beveridge

What a man must believe to become great. The first paper in an important series.



Our American Snobs

By James L. Ford, author of The Literary Shop

The making of a Social Success, as exemplified by Tommy Timpson, who became a Desirable Person and Married Money.

The Unsilenced Tongue

By Arthur E. MacFarlane

A humorist's study in crime—A tale of the Canadian woods.

Hazing By Jesse Lynch Williams

In which an "old grad." rises to make a few remarks on an ancient college institution.

The Autobiography of a Beggar By I. K. Friedman

In which Mollbuzzer invents a plan to abduct a Persian cat and hold it for ransom.

Unsolved By Ian Maclaren

The Spirit of the Place: a phantom love-story of the seventeenth century.

These are but a few of the many good things in this week's number. Handsomely printed and illustrated. 500,000 copies weekly. 5 cents the copy at newsdealers.

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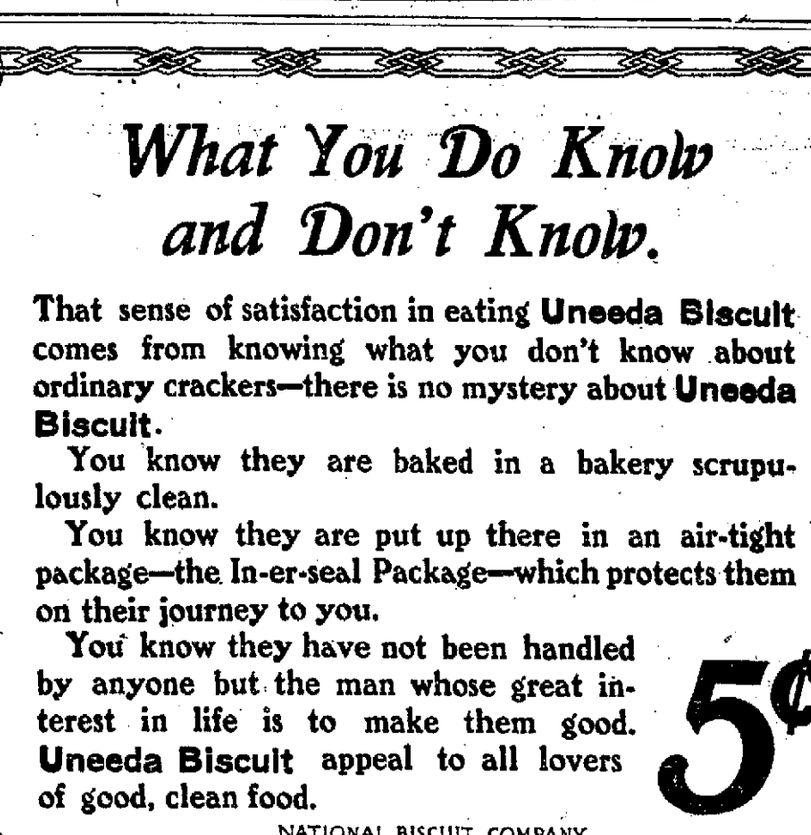

What You Do Know and Don't Know.

That sense of satisfaction in eating Uneeda Biscuit comes from knowing what you don't know about ordinary crackers—there is no mystery about Uneeda Biscuit.

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TO SUCCEED DR. PARKER.

London, Feb. 26.—The members of the City temple have decided to offer the pastorship to Rev. R. J. Campbell in succession to Rev. Joseph Parker, who died on November 28 last. The formal election will take place March 2.

Take Piso's Cure for Consumption. It will cure your cough. 25c. By all druggists.

Joseph Hak. H. K. Kem and J. L. Turnbul resumed their positions at the Pittsburg freight house this morning, after an absence on account of sickness.

A THOUSAND DOLLARS THROWN AWAY.

Mr. W. W. Baker, of Plainview, Neb., writes: "My wife had lung trouble for over fifteen years. We tried a number of doctors and spent over a thousand dollars without any relief. She was very low and I lost all hope, when a friend suggested trying Foley's Honey and Tar which I did; and thanks be to this great remedy, it saved her life. She is stronger and enjoys better health than she has ever known in ten years. We shall never be without Foley's Honey and Tar and would ask those afflicted to try it." Sold by Dreier & Bro.

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"A BEAUTIFUL LIFE."

All subscribers to The Sentinel can have a copy of the book "A Beautiful Life" for 50c by calling at this office. Better call at once, as the supply is limited. 27-tf

Fated

To Die of Paralysis Like Father.

Helpless Invalid For Three Years.

Dr. Miles' Nervine Made My Nerves Strong.

"For many years I suffered from terrible headaches and pains at the base of the brain, and finally got so bad that I was overcome with nervous prostration. I had frequent dizzy spells and was so weak and exhausted that I could take but little food. The best physicians told me I could not live; that I would die of paralysis, as my father and grandfather had. I remained a helpless invalid for three years, when I heard of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine and began using it. That winter I felt better than I had before in many years, and I have not been troubled with those dreadful headaches since I first used Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. My appetite is good and my nerves are strong."—Mrs. N. M. Bucknell, 2929 Oakland Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

"For many years I suffered from nervous prostration, and could not direct my household affairs, nor have any cares. My stomach was very weak headaches very severe, and I was so nervous that there was not a night in years that I slept over one hour at a time. We spent hundreds of dollars for doctors and medicine. I was taken to Chicago and treated by specialists, but received no benefit at all. Finally I heard of Dr. Miles' Nervine and began its use. I was surprised that it helped me so quickly, and great was my joy to find, after using seven bottles, that I had fully recovered my health."—Mrs. W. A. Thompson, Duluth, Minn.

All druggists sell and guarantee first bottle Dr. Miles' Remedies. Send for free book on Nervous and Heart Diseases. Address Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

MY HEAD

Was as bald as a billiard ball, writes F. Maunell, Maryland block, Butte, Mont., July 2, 1899, when on April 6th I purchased a **Newbro's Herpicide** and in exactly 20 bottle of days after, I had hair all over my head that was a quarter of an inch long, and as thick as one would desire. To-day my hair is as thick and luxuriant as anyone could wish.

"Herpicide" kills the dandruff germ. "Destroy the cause, you remove the effect."

Send 10 cents in stamps for sample. The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. For sale by Pellens & Polster.

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REDUCED RATES

The Tri-State Building and Loan Association has reduced its rates to borrowing members.

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Greatest Medicine on Earth.

CORNELIUS GORE.

35 Marion Street, Natick, Mass. Words cannot express my gratitude for your valuable medicine. I used to have four or five fits a day and even eight to ten the early part of every month. But since taking Pastor Koenig's Nerve Tonic (which was recommended to me by Rev Berther of Roxbur.) the fits have left me, and I thank your medicine, the greatest medicine on earth for it.

Alpena, Mich., Feb. 23, 1900.

I have recommended Pastor Koenig's Nerve Tonic in many cases that came under my observation while stationed at Isadore, Mich., and in all cases it had the desired effect, and especially so with Mrs. J. Robatek, Mr Jas. Sullivan and daughter, and Mary Mazurek. Knowing the Tonic is no humbug, I recommend it whenever any sick come to my notice.

REV. S. NOWAKOWSKI.

Mr. O. P. Trogus writes from Mt. St. Mary's Seminary, Cincinnati, that he just heard of a case from reliable authority, which defied the Doctors' skill, but was cured by Pastor Koenig's Nerve Tonic.

FREE—A Valuable Book on Nervous Diseases sent free to any address, and poor patients can also obtain this medicine free of charge.

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BILL FOR LAWTON STATUE ADVANCED

Senator Fleming's Measure is Likely to Become Law--Legislative Grind.

(Special to The Sentinel.)

Indianapolis, Feb. 26.—Senator Fleming's bill providing that the commisisoners of Allen county may receive donations and make an appropriation not to exceed $25,000 for the erection of a monument to General Lawton was advanced in the house today and will be placed on passage tomorrow. Representative Somers is pushing the bill in the house.

Both houses ground a big grist of routine business today, but there were no events of special importance.

The senate passed the bill for the codification of the corporation laws of Indiana. The bill provides three soft snaps for politicians, as commissioners will receive salaries of $4,000 per year.

The Kirkman bill regulating the practice of optometry passed the house after a lively fight.

LIFE IN THE SENATE.

Chief interest in the senate yesterday afternoon was centered on house bill No. 264, a bill for establishing day schools for the deaf and dumb in Vanderburg county. The bill has been most diligently lobbied by Miss Gallaher, and she was the subject of discussion in speeches made against the measure, Senator Ulrey, of Allen, making the most notable and bringing out his colleague, Senator Fleming in a speech in support of the bill. The bill was passed to engrossment by a vote of 26 to 20.

SENATE WOKE UP.

It was toward the close of the afternoon session that Mr. Crumbaker as the representative of Vanderburg county called up the bill on second reading. The preceding business had been very dull. The senators were dozing at their desks, voting "aye" or "no" listlessly as bills of minor importance were brought to their attention. Miss Gallaher herself had been sitting for hours waiting for action on her pet measure, but as she had been a familiar figure in the senate chamber for days past the enemies of the bill had no concern. When, however, the clerk read the magic title, "Engrossed House bill No. 264, a bill for an act to establish a day school for the deaf at evansville," there was astir and a running hither and thither. Senators ransacked their bill files to find the much discussed measure, and President Gilbert, anticipating a racket, took a fresh hold on his gavel prepared for emergencies. The usual question was put, "Shall the bill be read a third time and engrossed?"

Eight or ten senators were on their feet waving for the attention of the chair. Mr. Ulrey, of Fort Wayne, was recognized, and his motion was aimed directly at the life of the bill. He moved that it be indefinitely postponed, and on his motion he was given the floor to speak.

"I am not surprised that the baldheads of the house listened to the voice of Circe," said he, "or that they loved to linger in the perfumed bowers of Calypso, but it seems to me that we senators have a higher duty than dallying with the enchantress. We senators surely are not to be influenced by cheap smiles or 5-cent posies."

FLEMING TO THE RESCUE.

The young woman who was forced into an unpleasant position by the peculiar wording of the speech was sitting across the chamber from Senator Ulrey, and her distress was evident. Other members sprang gallantly to the rescue, first of all Senator Fleming, of Fort Wayne, who comes from the same county as Ulrey.

"When I tell the senate," he said, "that I have been a married man for ten years the senators will understand that I am immune from the fascinations alluded to by the senator from Allen. Personally I have been little influenced by the individual spoken of and my mind has been quite unprejudiced. I do not agree with Senator Ulrey in some of the insinuations he has cast, and my opinion is that the bill is a meritorious bill which should prevail." Senator Fleming was applauded.

VOTE ON THE MOTION.

Senator Crumbaker, of Evansville, closed the debate. He said that there was a strong sentiment in his county that the deaf children should be educated as near home as possible. There were good reasons why it would be better to teach them near home than far away. He disposed of the arguments presented against the bill rapidly and the vote was taken on the motion to indefinitely postpone. The vote stood as follows:

Ayes—Askren, Ball, Coats, Conlogue, Fortune, Gard, Gochenour, Harrison, Johnston, Kittinger, Newhouse, Parks, Powell Purviance, Smith, Thralls, Ulrey, Wampler, Whitcomb, Wood—20.

Noes—Barcus, Bell, Crumbaker, Darby, Dausman, Davis, De Haven, Fleming, Gibson, Goodwine, Gray, Handee, Lawler, Layman, Lyons, Matthews, Milburn, O'Brien, Ogborn, Roche, Singer, Stricler, Thompson, Wolcott—25.

The bill was then ordered engrossed, while the young woman from Evansville breathed a sign of relief and smiled her thanks to the senators who had saved her bill from the ignominious death into which Ulrey had tried to cast it.

PARDON BOARD BILL PASSES.

The debate on House Bill 264 divided interest in the senate yesterday afternoon with the discussion of Senate bill No. 322, Mr. Gray's measure providing for the establishment of a state board of pardons. The bill was fought hard, and for a time it looked as if it would fail, but the labors of Senator Gray, Senator Fortune and others pulled it through by a narrow margin.

The bill, passed finally by a vote of 26 to 22, provides that a pardon board shall consist of three members to be appointed by the Governor and that each member shall draw a salary of $300 a year with traveling and other necessary expenses while in office. The duties of the board, as provided by the bill, are to examine thoroughly into the merits of all petitions which may be presented to the Governor for the pardon of any person convicted by any court of the State or by any court-martial and to present to the Governor their conclusions in writing with a recommendation in each case.

OTHER MEASURES.

Other measures acted upon in the senate yesterday were:

Vanderburg county deaf and dumb asylum bill advanced to third reading through influence of woman lobbyist.

Goodwine's bill passed, authorizing creation of board to sell deaf and dumb asylum grounds.

Gochenour's bill, providing for election of township trustees by vote, outside towns and cities of township, fails to pass.

Bill passed to allow a corporation that has leased another corporation to distribute the latter stock.

In brief the house proceedings were:

Passing the George Rogers Clark statue bill.

Unsuccessful attempt to save the Wolcott "grain dealers' bill" from defeat.

Wright's voting machine bill favorably reported from committee.

Marion county surveyor's bill passed.

Indianapolis police salary bill passed unanimously.

Bill permitting telephone companies to erect poles on highway defeated.

"Limited divorce bill" passed.

Indianapolis juvenile court bill passed.

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GAVE ROBBERS A RIDE.

South Bend, Ind., Feb. 26.—Dr. Garrison, a local physician, met a man and a woman in a country road, while he was calling on a patient, and asked for a ride in his sleigh. The doctor gave the two a ride, until they were near the city, when the physician had a revolver pointed at his head. He was told to give up his valuables, and he surrendered a watch and some money. The couple got out of the sleigh, after the robbery, and told the doctor to drive on. The revolver was pointed toward him and he lost no time in getting away.

WATER IN GAS MAINS.

Muncie, Ind., Feb. 26.—The Muncie Gas Light and Fuel company, which supplies most of Muncie homes with natural gas, believes that the gas pressure would be much better all over the state if water were pumped out of the gas mains. Believing that the pressure in Muncie would be greatly improved by the removal of water, the company will begin pumping it out in a few days. To increase the supply, the company will begin drilling new wells in virgin territory, southeast of Muncie, as soon as the weather permits.

HIGH PRICE PAID FOR BULL.

Marion, Ind., Feb. 26.—Grant county is fast gaining the reputation of raising some of the finest cattle in the world. John Shugart and son have sold a two-year-old Holstein Friesan bull for $1,000. This bull goes to head the herd owned by Quentin McAdams, of Utica, N. Y. The animal is backed by high official records, his dam and sire's dam making an average of over twenty-seven pounds of butter in seven days. The champion cow of the world is also in Mr. McAdams's herd, she making 29¾ pounds of butter in seven days.

SUICIDE PREVENTED.

The startling announcement that a preventive of suicide has been discovered will interest many. A run down system, or despondency invariably precede suicide and something has been found that will prevent that condition which makes suicide likely. At the first thought of self destruction take Electric Bitters. It being a great tonic and nervine will strengthen the nerves and build up the system. It's also a great Stomach, Liver and Kidney regulator. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Dreier & Bro., druggists.

The South Side Pedro club will meet this evening with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Michaels.

A WEAK STOMACH

causes a weak body and invites disease. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures and strengthens the stomach and wards off and overcomes disease. J. B. Taylor, a prominent merchant of Chriesman, Tex., says: "I could not eat because of a weak stomach. I lost all strength and run down in weight. All that money could do was done, but all hope of recovery vanished. Hearing of some wonderful cures effected by the use of Kodol, I concluded to try it. The first bottle benefited me, and after taking four bottles I am fully restored to my usual strength, weight and health." Meyer Bros. & Co.

HARRISON HEIRS IN LAWSUIT.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 26.—W. H. H. Miller, attorney of the widow of Former President Harrison, has made a demand upon the Union Trust company of this city that it file a report of the condition of the Harrison estate, and out of this have come rumors to the effect that there are serious dissensions among the heirs. Several weeks ago Russell Harrison filed suit for partition of certain real estate, but the complaint was so drawn as to make it impossible to determine what property was included, and today when asked regarding the matter he declined to give the location of the real estate to be divided. He declared, however, that the suit had been brought in a spirit of friendliness. It is believed that Mr. Miller wants to know the condition of the estate before Mrs. Harrison's reply to the suit is filed. It is known that Russell Harrison and Mrs. Harrison differ in their construction of certain parts of the will, and it is this difference that has led to the suit now pending in the courts.

About 4,000 persons are killed each year in London's streets.

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Mrs. C. Crouse, of No. 383 West Main street, Fort Wayne, Ind., says: "I found Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills I got at Meyer Bros. & Co.'s drug store a great success as a nerve tonic. I was very nervous and weak as a result of overwork. The Nerve Pills, however, remedied this, giving me good general strength and steady nerves, consequently I am pleased with the medicine."

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MR. VIVIAN COMING TO START THINGS

Action Next Week on Electric Line Project to Bryan--Interurban Gossip.

The project to construct an electric line connecting Fort Wayne, Hicksville and Bryan, which has been before the public in an indefinite sort of way for some weeks, promises to assume definite shape next week, when R. S. Vivian, of Chicago, who is at the head of the movement, will arrive in the city. Mr. Vivian today notified his attorneys, Robertson & O'Rourke, that he expected to come to Fort Wayne within a few days and take up active preparations on the preliminaries.

The company had had an application on file for some weeks in the commissioners' court for a franchise through Allen county, but action was deferred until the expiration of the time limit upon the franchise of the Ohio and Indiana company. Mr. O'Rourke says his company will lose no time in pressing the application for franchise, securing right-of-way and otherwise getting into shape to build the road.

OTHERS WILL RESUME.

A few days of pleasant weather have also resulted in renewed activities by the Lima line people and the chief engineer, L. P. Huntoon, stated this morning that he believed work upon the grading could be resumed within a week or two under favorable conditions. About thirty-seven miles of the grading is completed and the grade is up to within three-quarters of a mile from the eastern city limits of Fort Wayne. Grading contractors' representatives are also in the city making preparations to resume work.

General Manager S. L. Nelson will return this evening from Chicago, where he went to make extensive purchases of wire and other material for the new line from Huntington to Marion.

CURES RHEUMATISM AND CATARRH—MEDICINE SENT FREE.

These two diseases are the result of an awful poisoned condition of the blood. If you have aching joints and back, shoulder blades, bone pains, crippled hands, legs or feet, swollen muscles, shifting, sharp biting pains, and that tired, discouraged feeling of rheumatism, or the hawking, spitting, blurred eyesight, deafness, sick stomach, headache, noises in the head, mucous throat discharges, decaying teeth, bad breath, belching gas of catarrh, take Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.) It kills the poison in the blood which causes these awful symptoms, giving a pure, healthy blood supply to the joints and mucous membranes, and makes a perfect cure of the worst rheumatism or foulest catarrh. Cures where all else fails. Blood Balm (B. B. B.) is composed of pure Botanic ingredients, good for weak kidneys. Improves the digestion, cures dyspepsia. A perfect tonic for old folks by giving them new, rich, pure blood. Thoroughly tested for thirty years. Druggists, $1 per large bottle, with complete directions for home cure. Sample free and prepaid by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe trouble and special free medical advice sent in sealed letter. Sold in Fort Wayne by Ranke & Nussbaum, 828 Calhoun street.

W. S. O'Rourke was at Rome City yesterday.

Kidney complaint kills more people than any other disease. This is due to the disease being so insidious that it gets a good hold on the system before it is recognized. Foley's Kidney Cure will prevent the development of fatal disease if taken in time. Sold by Dreier & Bro.

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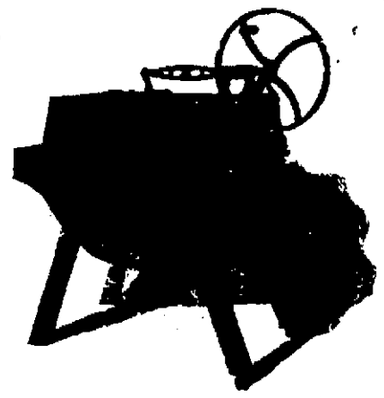

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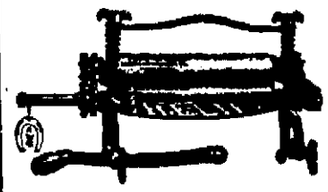

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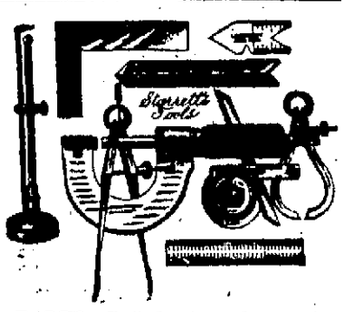

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MUSIC A CURE FOR SERIOUS DISEASES

Is Tried Successfully in Distinct System—Wagner for Hysteria.

New York, Feb. 26.—Music as a cure for mental and bodily ills has been embodied in a distinct system of therapeutics and regular treatment has been administered to patients in hospitals and private practice in this city for more than a year.

In the work carried on at St. Luke's hospital and with private patients during the year, Miss Vescelius, the director, has been able to develop the system of musical therapeutics far beyond its earlier limits. The violincello, the organ and trained soprano and contralto voices in their several combinations have been found to produce the best results in hospital wards. According to the theories upon which the system of therapeutics is based the musician in charge of the treatment must understand the science of mind and be able to diagnose mental conditions, as well as to use the tact and judgment acquired by experience.

For example, all doleful music, hymns and songs which hold disquieting associations are forbidden, and the musical school of healing looks with marked disfavor on the volunteers who, with the best intentions, hold such religious service in hospital wards as include the singing of hymns of a depressing "homesick" tone.

HELPED CASE OF MALARIA.

Recently a victim of malarial fever, ignorant of music, but susceptible to its charms, had a treatment under the direction of Miss Vescelius, consisting of four classical numbers, arranged for piano, barytone, contralto and soprano solos. Sleep was soon induced and lasted for seven hours. The patient had been ill for several weeks and was weak and emaciated. The fever was banished and there have been no symptoms of its return.

A case of a remarkable success in the treatment of a mental disorder, in private practice, was of a young woman who had been for several years a victim of periodical insanity. She was brought by a friend to the music room of Miss Vescelius, and on hearing the "Pilgrims' Chorus" from "Tannhauser" exclaimed: "What is that? Please play it again." She listened with seeming delight to the repetition of the number, and when it was finished clasped her hands to her breast and said: "I feel it right here. A great burden has been lifted from me." Her melancholia gradually disappeared under successive treatments and her recovery is now considered complete.

NERVOUS PROSTRATION.

Another patient whose case had interesting features was that of a business man who was suffering from nervous prostration and whose fear of bankruptcy had driven him to the verge of insanity. He had threatened to end his life and was not allowed on the street without an attendant. Musical therapeutics were tried as a last resort. He was persuaded to lie on a couch while several professional musicians played selections, which included Schubert's "Serenade," the "Sweet Evening Star" from "Tannhauser," and other compositions intended to inspire emotions of peace and grandeur.

During the performance the man fell asleep, while the music was continued with the purpose of conveying unconscious vibratory healing. He slept soundly all night for the first time in many weeks and after a month of regular treatment was restored to mental and physical health. He had shown little fondness for music previous to this experience and had attended the opera only when coaxed by his friends or family. The music used in the treatment was selected with a view of meeting his peculiar needs.

The general character of the diseases in a particular ward were studied, with the purpose of selecting the most fitting treatment, and it was found most advisable to use music of a neutral tone, neither too relaxing nor too stimulating, for the greatest good to the greatest number. A specimen program of this kind consisted of four numbers: a soprano and contralto solo, and organ and 'cello in unison. The selections were Schubert's "Jocelyn," "Du bist de Ruhe," his "Ave Maria" and Gounod's "Serenade."

MUSICIANS IN HOSPITALS.

"I am satisfied that the helpfulness of music is being recognized more and more by the medical profession," said Miss Vescelius, "and that the day will come when no hospital will be without its musicians as well as its physicians. The therapeutic value of music has gone beyond the experimental stage and has ceased to be a theory. So many different kinds of diseases are benefited by it that it is impossible to draw the line positively and say music is better for this or that disorder.

"The misuse of music will do more harm than good, and unless intelligently employed would better be left alone. The effect of the wrong selection in the wrong key would be anything but helpful. The course of study and training in this new field of healing includes the departments of the history of music as a healing power, the fundamental principles of musical psychology, the musical gift and how to develop it for healing, diagnosis and the choice of songs and instruments."

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AUDIENCE HAD TO WAIT.

It was 10 o'clock last evening when the curtain went up on the first act of "Le Voyage en Suisse" at the Masonic Temple. The delay was due to the fact that the property car did not arrive in the city until 7:15 and in unloading it the truckmen got mixed and loaded the setting for the second act on the first truck, the mistake remaining undiscovered until the wagon reached the theater. The company played at Marion Tuesday night and was to have come to this city via the Clover Leaf to Bluffton and the Lake Erie to this city. The agent of the Big Four at Marion cut the price of the fare $17 and persuaded the manager to come to this city via Wabash, and while the company made connections and arrived here at 4:35 yesterday afternoon the property car was sidetracked at Wabash and came in attached to the local freight at 7:15. Nearly all the audience remained throughout the delay, less than fifty going home before the curtain rose.

CITY BREVITIES.

Miss Inez Shenk, of Fremont, is visiting Miss Jessie Kauffman.

A party of ladies were guests of Mrs. Charles H. Meek at pedro yesterday afternoon. Prizes were won by Mrs. Victor Russell and Mrs. Robert Evans.

The members of the A. D. S. club were guests of Mrs. George Winbaugh at a Martha Washington party yesterday. The rooms were prettily decorated in the national colors and each guest received a souvenir. Miss Edith Tyler won the visitors' prize.

At the meeting of the Eagles last evening the proposition of the firm of Potter & Rice relative to giving a carnival here this summer under the auspices of the Eagles was discussed, but definite action was deferred until the schedule of the Central league is made public, as it is desired to give the show at the ball park.

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FORT WAYNE MAN BROUGHT CHARGES

John Stevens, of Huntington, Is Freed from Accusation of Embezzlement.

Upon a complaint filed by Philip F. Dixon, of Fort Wayne, John Stevens, who conducts a second-hand store at Huntington, was arrested Wednesday charged with having embezzled $850.43, but on a preliminary hearing Stevens was discharged.

Mr. Dixon is the district representative of a company which produces a patent gasoline lighting system. He asserted that Stevens as his agent had been selling the apparatus and had failed to account for the sum above mentioned. When the case came up before Mayor Anderson Wednesday afternoon Stevens entered a plea of not guilty. He claimed that instead of having acted as Mr. Dixon's agent he had purchased the goods outright from him, and insisted that instead of being an embezzler he simply was indebted to Mr. Dixon on account. His acquittal followed.

Mr. Dixon has now instituted a suit on account to recover the amount. Mr. Dixon has an office at Main and Calhoun streets.

MARTIN—WERKMAN.

Miss Clara Werkman, of Leo, and William Martin, a young farmer living in Perry township, were married in the Catholic church at Academie station Tuesday morning. Miss Ollie Martin, a sister of the groom, and Isidor Oddou were the attendants. A wedding breakfast was served at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delphos Martin, on Spy Run avenue.

PITCHER BOB EWING HERE.

Bob Ewing, one of the Cincinnati National league team pitchers, is in the city for a day or two and is the guest of Dr. C. E. Barnett. Ewing was with the Toledo Interstate league team in 1899, but went to Kansas City the following year. Last season he signed with Cincinnati, and will go south with that team on April 14th for the spring training. Mr. Ewing lives in New Hampshire, O., and devotes the time that he is not playing ball to training hunting dogs and has hundreds in his kennels during the fall months. Besides being a lover of dogs, Mr. Ewing is very fond of horses, and thereby hangs a tale. A year or two ago a colt belonging to Dr. Barnett suffered the loss of an eye, and having no desire to sport a one-eyed horse, Dr. Barnett gave the colt to Ewing. The pitcher shipped the animal to his home, where he placed it in the hands of a trainer. The mare developed into a pacer of remarkable speed and Ewing cleaned up a tidy bunch of money on her last year. He made the circuit of a number of county fairs and as the mare does not give one the impression of being a world beater at the first glance, he had the betting all to himself. Ewing expects to enter the mare in some of the big events the coming year and he is confident that she will make some of the stars go some.

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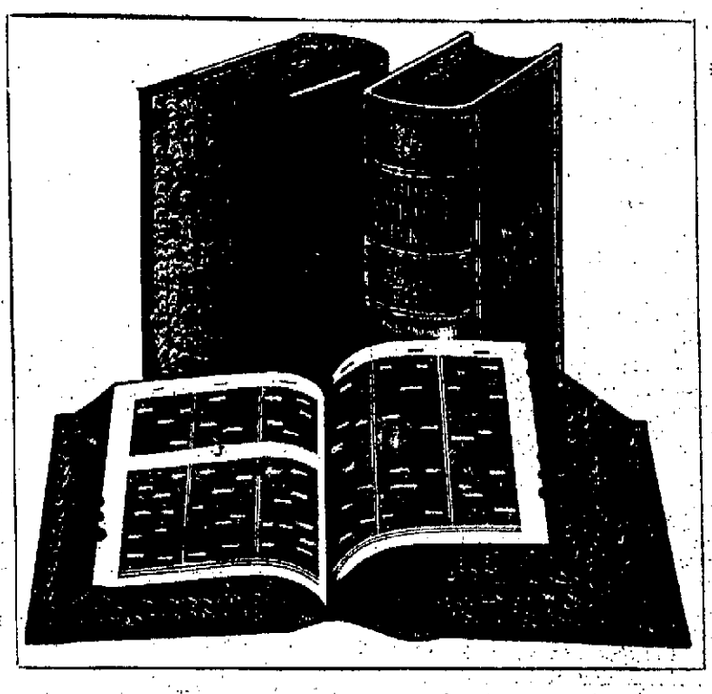

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THE 20th CENTURY MARVEL.

Doctors Who Treat and Cure Patients Without Pay—This is What the Doctors of the Red Cross Medical Association are Doing at Their Office, 723 Clinton Street.

A staff of eminent physicians and surgeons from the Red Cross Medical association have, at the urgent solicitation of a large number of patients under their care in this country, established a permanent branch of the institute in Fort Wayne, at 723 Clinton street, near the postoffice corner.

These eminent gentlemen have decided to give their services entirely free for three months (medicine excepted) to all invalids who call upon them for treatment between now and February 28. These services consist not only of consultation and advice, but also of minor surgical operations.

The object in pursuing this course is to become rapidly and personally acquainted with the sick and afflicted, and under no conditions will any charge whatever be made for any service rendered for three months, to all who call before February 28.

The doctors treat all forms of disease and deformities, and guarantee a cure in every case they undertake. At the first interview a thorough examination is made, and, if incurable, you are frankly and kindly told so also advised against spending your money for useless treatment.

Male and female weakness, catarrh and catarrhal deafness, also rupture, goitre, cancer, all blood and skin diseases, all diseases of the rectum, and the drug habits, are positively cured by their new treatment.

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Mrs. Mary O. Hahn, No. 2033 Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill., writes: "For two years I have been troubled with biliousness caused by inactivity of the liver. I had dizzy spells at times, pains across my back and a tired, heavy feeling, with loss of appetite and nervousness. Our family physician prescribed some liver tablets which certainly did not help me in the least. I took Apollinaris and other mineral waters, but my complexion became more yellow and my general health worse. Reading one of your little booklets, I decided to give Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin a trial and am so glad I did. One bottle did more for me than ten dollars' worth of other remedies. I knew at once I had the right remedy. I kept taking it for several weeks, when I considered myself completely cured. My skin is white and smooth as a baby's and I feel in excellent health and spirits, thanks to your remedy."

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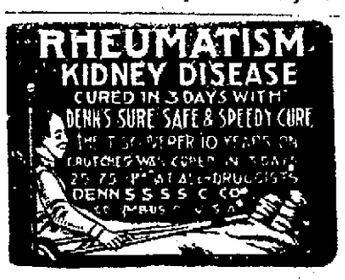

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WILL OBSTRUCT LEGISLATION

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and nay vote upon everything upon which the house shall act up to the moment of final adjournment."

The caucus met at 10:30 and was attended by nearly all the democratic representatives in the city and the resolution was unanimously agreed to after general discussion. It is the opinion of the minority that the republicans will not be able to accomplish more than to pass the appropriation bills before adjournment.

IN THE SENATE.

Washington, Feb. 26—Soon after senate met today Mr. Hale (Maine) reported the naval appropriation bill and gave notice that he would call it up tomorrow.

A bill was passed authorizing the commercial club of Topeka, Kas., to construct a dam across the Kansas river within the counties of Shawnee and Wabaunsee, Kas.

Mr. Burrows, chairman of the committee on privileges and elections, filed an additional protest against the admission of Reed Smoot as a senator from Utah.

Consideration of the sundry civil bill then was resumed. The senate reconsidered its vote on the amendment providing for the construction of an office building for the house of representatives and agreed to the same. An amendment was agreed to directing the superintendent of the capitol to prepare estimates of cost for a separate office building for the senate. An amendment by Mr. Fairbanks, appropriating $2,000,000 for the purchase of a site for the postoffice in New York city was agreed to.

The bill was passed.

IN THE HOUSE.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The decision of the democrats at their caucus this morning to filibuster for the remainder of the session if the republicans pressed the Wagoner-Butler contested election, caused considerable tension on both sides when the house assembled today. The leaders were alert and the fight began almost with the drop of the gavel. After the chaplain had delivered his invocation the speaker was about to direct the clerk to read the journal when Mr. Richardson, the democratic leader, interrupted him and made the point of no quorum. "The constitution requires the presence of a quorum to do business," said he.

The speaker acquiesced, but was able to count only 167. Thereupon Mr. Payne, the republican leader, moved a call of the house and upon that motion the democrats forced a roll call.

ABOUT THE COURT HOUSE.

There was a decided calm after the furious storm in the courts yesterday. This morning the jury returned a verdict in the case of Stewart vs. the Farmers' Insurance company and B. F. Streifling, which had been vigorously fought for ten days. The jury found for the plaintiff for damages in the sum of $500 and for the defendants, Kelsey and Rapp, and only for costs as against the plaintiff. By the time the plaintiff pays the costs out of his judgment he will be in debt and the defendant, Streifling will have to pay his share of the judgment and all his own costs. After hearing the verdict Judge Heaton adjourned court until tomorrow morning.

In the circuit court, besides the appointment of Philip Graf administrator of the estate of Julia Alter, there was absolutely nothing done.

LOSE AT GRAND RAPIDS.

Fort Wayne curlers who made the trip to Grand Rapids yesterday to meet the ice experts of the Furniture City came home with pleasureable recollections of their visit, but they didn't land any victories. For the morning games McKay's (Fort Wayne) rink was pitted against Blodgett's, while Orrock's (Fort Wayne) met Miller's, Grand Rapids winning both. At the afternoon contests McKay played Thompson, while Gillie met the Miller rink. Grand Rapids again won both.

DECISION IS REVERSED.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 26.—(Special.)—The appellate court today reversed the decision of the Allen circuit court in the case of Carr S. Alden vs. John W. White.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Frank T. Hiser and Myra A. Lawson.

Ensign George and Anna G. Bucher.

The latter couple repaired immediately to the office of Justice Skelton, where they were married before the ink on the license had fairly dried.

Robert L. Romy returned this morning from a business trip to Oklahoma. He says that Attorney M. T. Stokes, who removed from Fort Wayne to Lawton, has disposed of his claim and moved eastward.

CINCINNATI HAS A $2,000,000 BLAZE

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the large publishing house of the American Book company, at the corner of Baker street, and other property along Baker street, and did great damage to the telephone building, so that all 'phones in the city were cut off for some time. All the guests in the Burnett house, on Vine street, just across from the telephone building, were called out of their rooms, as were those at the Gibson, the Emery and Stag hotels, which were in close proximity of the fire. The Kankakee building, which is diagonally across from the Seasongood building and the Pike opera house, and is occupied by the Western Union, the Associated Press, the Big Four and other offices, was threatened and all the wires of the Western Union for hours were in danger, but this location was spared after narrow escape.

It was not until after daylight that the fire was gotten under control and the danger of a general conflagration was believed to be over.

As it is known that about twenty people sleep in the Pike building, there were at first reports that several lives had been lost, but none of these reports have been confirmed.

MANY NARROW ESCAPES.

There were many narrow escapes. Night Watchmen John Agin and Mat Garretson, and Harry Richardson, doorkeeper, saved six lives by entering the building and forcing their way through the smoke and rescuing lodgers. Five men were asleep in a rear room of the Pike building, when they were rescued by having their door broke in. They were John Mulvern, B. W. Zeigler, H. C. Storey, J. F. McDonald and W. C. Ashkper. All escaped in their night clothes. Agin, Richardson and Garretson proceeded through the building, giving the alarm to all, until they had to be helped out of the structure themselves.

Capt. J. C. Glanman, head of a detective bureau, who was asleep on the third floor, was awakened and escaped in his night clothes. He lost all the records of his office. Nothing was saved from the upper floors. Mayor Fleischmann was present at the scene of the fire.

The loss is estimated at over $3,000,000.

A THRILLING ESCAPE.

The escape of Will Jones, the well known Cincinnati actor, just before the roof of the burning building fell, and his rescue half dead from the top of the building, was a thrilling and almost miraculous one. Jones' presence of mind, which led him to throw his cuff into the street below and thus make his whereabouts known, saved his life.

After a hard rehearsal Jones went to the Pike building about midnight to get his valise which he had left in a studio of an artist friend on the fourth floor. After entering he was so tired he fell asleep in a chair. When he awoke suddenly he was nearly blinded and suffocating. He crawled to the door. Outside in the great air shaft the flames were shooting up. How he made his way he does not know, but some instinct found him the stairway leading to the top.

He went up to the roof and in some manner got through a skylight. He fell over something and was stunned. When he recovered the flames were shooting through the roof. He crawled to the edge, but the firemen in the street did not notice him. He shouted himself hoarse. He took his cuff and wrote on it: "I am on roof. Nearly dead from gas. Jones."

REPORTER FOUND NOTE.

He threw it to the ground and a reporter picked it up and located the figure of a man standing outlined in the sparks. Jones crept along the edge of the rear of the building and there waited for the firemen, who placed a ladder across the alley from the telephone exchange building. Jones was carried down and taken to the hospital.

The girls in the telephone exchange building, across an alley from the burning Pike building, were badly frightened as the dark clouds of smoke rolled about the building. The exchange rooms are on the top floor of the six-story building and the night force consists of eight exchange girls and the night manager, George Cappes. The girls pluckily stuck to their posts from 1:30 to 3:30 a. m., when the flames were blazing in their windows so they were ordered out. Later they returned to "their calls" and when the large day force of girls came on duty they fearlessly went to the sixth floor for duty, although the fire raged all around them.

The Pike theater building was totally destroyed by fire in 1866 and it narrowly escaped total destruction on March 30, 1902.

THEATER JUST REMODELED.

After the fire of last year the interior of the Pike was remodeled and the theater redecorated and refurnished at an expense of several thousand dollars, over $1,500 worth of gold leaf alone being used in the decorations.

The scenery and costumes used by the Pike Stock company during the season which closed last Saturday night, valued at about $10,000, were stored in the opera house. Included in this was a good portion of the expensive costumes used in the presentation of "Cinderella" during Christmas week.

The loss of the Henrietta Crossman company, which has been at the Pike this week, is over double that of the Pike Stock company. Henrietta Crossman was called up with other guests at the Burnet house and witnessed the burning of her company's effects.

The Pike building belongs to the Pike estate and Powell Crossley is the general lessee, sub-letting it to over two hundred tenants.

SUPPOSED TO BE FIREPROOF.

The building adjoining the Pike on the west, a fine six-story structure, was supposed to be fireproof, but the intense heat from the Pike fire and falling walls damaged it very much. It is owned by Louis Seasongood and is occupied by the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern railroad on the first floor and by numerous tenants in the basement and by Richter & Phillips, wholesale jewelers, on the second story and others on the upper floors. The loss of Richter & Phillips is very large, although there was considerable salvage as the Seasongood building withstood the flames for some time.

Among the lorers are Artists John Ward Dunsmore, Rena De Camp, Elizabeth C. Eckstein and C. A. Meurer, whose studios were lost with many valuable pictures.

SOME OF THE LOSSES.

The American Book company will lose a quarter of a million on their publishing house and stock and machinery. The plates of the eclectic system of school books were all stored in this building, which, with presses and electrical appliances, were lost.

Robert Clarke & Co. place their loss at $350,000, including $175,000 in plates of law books and other works. Among the other losses are the following:

Pike building, $475,000; insurance $180,000.

Seasongood building, $125,000.

Harrison building, $125,000.

Fosdick building, $125,000.

Duhme Bros., jewelers, $75,000; Richter & Phillips, jewelers, $50,000; Miss Brothers', milliners, $8,000; Joffee's grocery, $75,000; Strauss wholesale cigar store, $75,000; Adams Express company, $5,000; Empsons candy store, $3,000; White's restaurant, $10,000; Scenery Pike theater stock company, $10,000; Martin's restaurant, $10,000; A. I. Rich & Co., bankers and brokers, $2,000; Young Men's Mutual Life Insurance company, $5,000; Drury & McNulty, insurance agents, $2,000; office Pike theater company, $7,000; scenery and costumes Henrietta Crossman company, $20,000; M. W. Grannon, detective agency, $1,500; Cincinnati School of Expression, $2,000; Houseman & Co., electricians, $3,000; Charles W. Baker, attorney, $5,000; Charles W. Wolf, attorney, $1,000; Dr. C. H. Rosenthal, $4,000; Simpson Bros., insurance, $1,000; Powell Crosley, agent Pike's estate, $4,000; Dr. A. L. Swing, $700; Bellstead Ballenburg band, $700; Jones & James, attorance, $1,000; Powell Crosley, agent $1,000; Wolf & Sons, iron works, $10,000; Woodrow Stationery and Printing company, $10,000; Dennison Manufacturing Co., $10,000; Howard Saxby lost everything and has no insurance. His loss on plates and stock is $20,000. Saxby's magazine for March had just been run off and must be reprinted. Among the other losses are:

SEVERAL FIREMEN HURT.

New York, Feb. 26.—Several firemen were hurt, one perhaps fatally, at a fire in an eight-story building at Broadway and Thirteenth street early today. The property loss is estimated at $250,000. Captain John Andreise, of an engine company, while at work at the fire, fell through an open shaft, striking on his head. He was thought to be fatally injured, his head being crushed. He was taken to a hospital.

A dozen firemen were at work on the sixth floor when a part of the fire proof ceiling fell. Battalion Chief Gooderson was knocked unconscious by a piece of tile and Fireman Daniel Foley's right leg was broken and he was sent to a hospital, while Gooderson was ordered home by Chief Purry. Firemen Joseph Minsch and Thomas Mix fell from a ladder and broke their legs and a piece of cornice crushed Fireman Joseph Kimmeth's foot. The three men were taken to a hospital.

Sparks from the burning building were blown towards the Morton house at Broadway and Fourteenth street, and the 200 guests of that hotel, who had been aroused by the fire engines, all went down to the street for safety. It was found, however, that the hotel was not at any time in danger.

The occupants of the building were Hackett, Carhart & Co., men's furnishers; the Crown Suspender Co., the Nonatuck Silk Co., the Brainard & Armstrong Silk Co., and the Altman Neckwear Co.

The cause of the fire has not been ascertained.

HENRY J. MILLER IS INDICTED

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gaming house. He promptly gave bond in the sum of $200, with L. A. Centlivre as surety. Dr. J. W. Kannel came next under indictment for involuntary manslaughter, the charge being based on the death of a patient from the effects of a surgical operation, which it is alleged was

POLICE SUPT. GORSLINE.

unskillfully performed. There were others returned, the most sensational of which was that of Henry J. Miller, a well known business man, indicted for bribery and bail being fixed at $4,000. Charles H. Worden became his surety with great willingness. This charge is based on an alleged transaction between Miller and the late George R. Hench, in which it is claimed Miller paid Councilman Hench a sum of money for his influence and support of an electric light franchise, which several years ago was before the council. Friends of the deceased councilman and of Mr. Miller express belief that the charges will be proved groundless and that a trial will vindicate both.

JUSTICES IN DRAGNET.

Scarcely less sensational was the appearance of all the justices of the peace now acting, together with ex-Justices France and Bullermann and their respective constables, all of whom gave bond in the sum of $500 each to answer to the charge of taxing illegal fees. These men were not arrested, but were simply sent for. When they made their appearance they were informed of what was doing in Allen county and were allowed to go out to get their bondsmen, which all of them did with celerity and dispatch as the story books say.

THE GORSLINE CASE.

Presently Superintendent Gorsline stepped into the office and inquired what was wanted of him. He was told that he had been indicted for public intoxication on the 1st of September last; he promptly secured a bondsman.

Public expectancy had been keyed to an almost painful tension by newspaper announcement that a city official had been indicted and when it became known on the street that the sensational indictment referred to consisted of a true bill against the police superintendent for intoxication there was something that might be termed a collapse. Opinion on the street seemed in the main to be that in this particular case there had been rather more ado than was warranted.

Municipal Judge Dreibelbiss, in speaking of the matter, said:

"The idea of indicting a man for public intoxication when, if he was guilty, he could have been taken before any justice of the peace and got his just dues is too ridiculous to think of or speak about. It is simply a case of 'get even,' something that the law and justice do not entertain. If I were the judge would dismiss

EX-JUSTICE H. F. FRANCE.

them as soon as they were called. Real offenses should be punished, but spite and vindictiveness should be rebuked."

It is stated that a county official, an appointee of the board of commissioners, has been indicted for the same offense as that charged to the superintendent of police.

No arrest has been made at this writing and the sheriff will neither affirm nor deny that he has a warrant for the official in question.

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THE REFORMER

By CHARLES M. SHELDON.

drews! Have pity on me! If I loved him truly, would I refuse to accept his test for me? Why do I shrink from that?"

"Do you expect me to answer all the contradictions of your heart? You have been born into a social life that reckons up its wealth in physical things. It is also true—pardon me for saying it—but it is true that you women of wealth and social activities are as a class destitute of any real love for humanity. You can feel remorse or momentary pity. You will weep at the representation of wrongs upon the stage in a well lighted, warmed and upholstered theater from a comfortable seat for which you have paid an exorbitant price, but you will not take the price of that seat and go with it yourself to a real human sufferer, or if you do it it is in a spasmodic effort to relieve a dull day or a compound with a conscience that will not always leave you alone in your selfishness. The broad basic element of genuine love of humanity is not known by you or women like you. The richest, most cultured, most favored women in this city are as a rule destitute of real human love for the masses. They are born without it, they live without it, and, may God have mercy on them, they will die without it and receive the final condemnation spoken to those who, like the rich man in Jesus' story, have their good things in this world, but will be shut out by an impassable chasm from the joys of Lazarus in the bosom of Abraham."

Again the spirit of this woman, who had for all those dreary years of lonesome burden bearing felt the crushing weight of a proud city's wealth and fashion which lifted no finger to help in proportion to its enormous responsibility, rose up and flowed over its lifelong repression in the presence of a woman who had refused the great love of a great man because she did not want to miss the things that Lazarus had to do without.

And again Luella was painfully still. She uttered no denial; she apparently did not resent a syllable. She simply looked down, folding her hands in her lap, and Miss Andrews, gazing at her, could see no sign of anger or pride.

But suddenly Luella rose, and, stretching out her hands toward her visitor, she said, while tears were in her eyes:

"All this may be true, but you say he is dying. Is it the time to say all this to me now? I love him! I do love him! You do not, or you would not be saying these things to me now—while he is dying!"

She came up close to Miss Andrews and stood near her, with her hands clinched and her whole attitude expressive of the deepest feeling. "It is no wonder John Gordon loved her," Grace Andrews said to herself with a pang at the thought of a beauty that had been dulled by years of contact with trouble, for Luella was magnificent in her strong young womanhood, and it needed only that one human love for the multitude to make her a creature of boundless affections worthy of the bravest, best man that ever lived.

"I did not say he was dying. He is very ill. The issue is doubtful. But he is perfectly conscious, and it may be—it may be—that your presence will help him."

"Come, then, let us go," said Luella.

On the way to Hope House Luella asked again if John Gordon had sent for her.

"He has spoken your name," Miss Andrews hesitated, "but he has not asked to see you."

"Then I am going to see him on your invitation?"

"Yes," she replied simply.

"He will not care to see me," Luella spoke as if to herself, and Miss Andrews did not reply to her.

When they reached the house, Luella was so agitated that she asked to be left alone in the library a little while. When she came to Miss Andrews and told her she was ready, Miss Andrews could not avoid almost a feeling of pity for her.

"Is he very ill?" Luella asked.

"You must be prepared for a great change in him," Miss Andrews said. When she reached Gordon's room, Ford came to the door. He had been nursing Gordon. When Luella entered, Ford and Miss Andrews went out and knew that as they left the room Luella had kneeled at the side of the bed and put her lips on John Gordon's hand.

She was not prepared for the sight of such a change in so short a time. But Gordon had thrown himself into the problem of Hope House from the first day of his residence with a whole souled abandon that had told tremendously on his vitality. The daily strain on his sympathies, the apparent hopelessness of the effort to remove causes, the unceasing call on heart and mind, had burned like a fever in his life, and when the city campaign came on he was not at all prepared for its incessant demand on physical and mental resources. Nevertheless he had flung all caution aside night after night, even when he felt growing on him the weariness that, like a leaden weight, hung on heart and brain. The collapse came inevitably, and his condition was critical. It was the old story of driving the machine beyond its powers and without sufficient care for the delicate mechanism of nerves and heart and tissues.

"John," said Luella as she kneeled there, and he felt a tear fall on the hand she held, "you do not doubt my love for you, do you? Why did you not send for me yourself?"

"You are here, Luella. That is all I want."

He spoke with great effort. He was conscious of a weakness that made him cling to any strong nature like a drowning man. His whole interview with Luella must be interpreted in the light of that weakness. His mind was feeling vaguely for relief, from a dark, hopeless falling down into some unreachable place where Luella could not

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Vienna, Feb. 26.—Professor Lorenz is going to educate German trained nurses to be equal to the American variety—if he lives long enough. He told your correspondent that he is making every effort to that effect, "for the American trained nurse is certainly ideal. I'm afraid, though," he added, "that at first our people will not believe what I say of this fine body of assistants to medicine and health. With us, a trained nurse is a servant; with you, she is a lady, either a woman or girl of most excellent education. I don't wonder so many rich gentlemen marry their nurses after an acquaintance full of sunshine, healthfulness and mental improvement." The professor continued: "We need the American trained nurse as much as the new big hospital now in the course of construction here needs the glorious American improvements, which I admired in different parts of your country. I will work hard to obtain those improvements for the institute. I will work harder still to get nurses after the American pattern. Professor Lorenz also spoke enthusiastically of the American medical schools and the earnestness, intelligence and energy of our students. "Surgery has certainly made big strides in the United States," he said in conclusion.

Mrs. A. L. Winters, of 436 West Fourth street, entertained the Faithful Few Pedro club Wednesday evening. First prize was won by Mr. Teddswell and the consolation was awarded to Mr. Winters.

Allen lodge, Degree of Honor, closed its bazaar at Elektron hall last evening with a voting contest for several articles. Mrs. Martha M. Gordon secured a handsome oak sideboard, Miss Grace Rapp secured a hunter case gold watch, Mrs. G. W. Thoebold secured a pretty silk "crazy patch" bed quilt, Mrs. R. Werner secured a handsome French clock and Charlie Schinbeckler, a three-year-old lad from Dunfee, and Mary Schefman, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Schefman, of East Wayne street, secured a doll each. The attendance at the bazaar was good each evening.

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No. 14.	Montpelier and Toledo Exp ..	4:10 P. M.
No. 4.	Continental Limited	4:45 P. M.
No. 24.	Atlantic Express	6:00 P. M.
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No. 9.	Kansas City Fast Mail	6:30 A. M.
No. 7.	St. Louis Day Express.....	9:48 A. M.
No. 1.	Continental Limited	11:20 A. M.
No. 11.	Toledo & Fairler Accom., Arr.	11:48 A. M.
No. 6.	Government Fast Mail	5:48 P. M.
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THE MARKETS.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—May wheat opened a shade lower to a shade higher, at 77⅛c to 77¼c, and on the strength in corn advanced to 77⅝c, selling down again later to 77⅝c. Small northwest receipts and rains in the southwest were strengthening influences. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 302 cars, which, with local receipts of 15 cars—none of contract grade—made total receipts for the three points of 317 cars, against 177 cars last week and 579 cars a year ago.

There was considerable selling pressure late in the day and most of the early gain was lost, the close being steady, with May a shade higher, at 77¼c.

Bullish sentiment pervaded the corn pit, influenced to a large extent by the higher cables and the prospects of unfavorable weather for both the grading and movement. May opened a shade to ⅛c higher, at 45⅞c to 46⅛@46¼c, but on a good commission house demand there was a quick advance to 46½c.

The sentiment was bullish throughout the day and the close was strong, May being ⅜@½c higher, at 46½c.

Buying of corn by prominent provision interests during the past few days was one reason for the firm tone to prices. Local receipts were 256 cars, with none of contract grade.

There was only a small trade in oats and what little business was done was for local account. Opening prices were steady, with May unchanged to a shade higher, at 35½c to 35½@35⅝c, and in sympathy with the strength in other grains, the market became firmer, May selling up to 35¾@35⅞c. Local receipts were small, at 36 cars.

A smaller run of hogs at the yard, with an advance of from 10c to 15c in prices, caused firmness in provisions at the start, and with a good demand from packers, with but light offerings, prices advanced still further. The volume of trade, however, was only moderate. May pork opened 2½c to 5c higher, at $17.75 to $17.77½; May lard was up 2½c, at $9.67½, while ribs 2½@5c better, at $9.77½.

The Close.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—May, 77¼c; July, 73⅝@73½c; Sept., 71¾c.

Corn—Feb., 44⅛c; May, 46½c; July, 44⅝@44¾c; Sept., 44¼c.

Oats—Feb., 34¼c; May, 35⅝@35¾c; July, 32⅞c; Sept., 29¾@29⅞c.

Pork—May, $17.85; July, $17.35; Sept., $16.87½.

Lard—Feb., $9.62½; May, $9.65; July, $9.57½; Sept., $9.57½@9.60.

Ribs—May, $9.82½; July, $9.62½; Sept., $9.50.

Rye—May, 51@51½c.

Flax—Cash N. W., $1.16; S. W., $1.12; May, $1.14@1.17.

Timothy—Feb., $3.90.

Clover—Feb., $11.50.

Barley—Cash, 44@56c.

Butter, Cheese and Eggs.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—Butter—Market steady; creameries, 18@27½c; dairies, 14@24c.

Eggs—Market easier, 14½c.

Cheese—Market steady; twins, 12½@12¾c; daisies, 13@13½c; young Americas, 13@13½c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000; market slow; good to prime steers, $5.25@5.75; poor to medium, $3.25@4.75; stockers and feeders, $2.35@4.50; cows, $1.40@4.50; heifers, $2@4.90; canners $1.40@2.50; bulls, $2.25@4.25; calves, $3.25@7.75; Texas fed steers, $3.50@4.50.

Hogs—Receipts today, 26,000; tomorrow, 25,000; left over, 8,436; market 10c higher; mixed and butchers, $6.90@7.25; good to choice heavy, $7.25@7.50; rough heavy, $6.90@7.20; light, $6.55@6.85; bulk of sales, $6.95@7.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; sheep steady, lambs weak; good to choice wethers, $5@5.50; fair to choice mixed, $4@4.75; native lambs $4.75@7.

The Day on Wall Street.

New York, Feb. 26.—Prices on the stock exchange today opened lower than last night except for Metropolitan Street railway and Amalgamated Copper, which made fractional gains. St. Louis and San Francisco dropped 1¾. Otherwise the losses did not exceed ½. The dealings were small.

St. Paul, Rock Island, Wabash preferred and Amalgamated rose a fraction above yesterday, while Metropolitan Street railway and Metropolitan Securities were lifted a point each, but the weakness of St. Louis and San Francisco and the reaction in Rock Island had a discouraging effect and prices reacted. St. Louis and San Francisco lost 2½ and then rallied a point. Colorado Fuel, Smelting and Anaconda fell a point under last night. Northwestern sold at a decline of 5, and the subscription rights brought 13⅛, compared with 15¼, the high price of last week. St. Louis and San Francisco first preferred rose 2.

The lack of effect from the reports of an absorption of St. Louis and San Francisco by Rock Island was a disappointment to the speculative element. The market was very dull and sluggish in consequence. There was some recovery, Metropolitan railway rallying to the top and Wabash preferred rising to 53¾. Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste Marie preferred gained 1. General Electric lost 2¼, and Chicago Terminal preferred and Pressed Steel Car preferred a point.

Bonds were easy at noon.

A large accumulation of Tennessee Coal carried it above 67 and strengthened metal stocks generally. Railroad stocks were neglected and but few of them fluctuated more than ⅛. Northwestern made a further drop to 8 points under last night and Pittsburg, C., C. and St. Louis preferred declined 10 on one transaction. Consolidated Gas, Illinois Central and Colorado Southern fell 1@1¼.

St. Louis and San Francisco rallied strongly to 86½, after selling at 83½ in the forenoon. The paucity of the demand otherwise caused an easier demand, especially for the grangers and southwesterns. Kansas City, Fort Scott and Memphis preferred advanced 1¼ and Evansville and Terre Haute declined 1½.

Wabash preferred was carried up a full point, but indications that this was to cover realizing induced traders to sell the whole list. Declines of 1 to 1⅝ below last night were made by St. Paul, the Pacifics, Rock Island, Pennsylvania, New York Central, Hocking Valley, Erie common and second preferred, Reading, Louisville, the Kansas and Texas stocks, Amalgamated, Sugar and Leather preferred. American Express lost 5. Great Northern preferred and Chicago Great Western preferred A 3 and Delaware and Hudson 2½.

The closing was active and weak.

New York Produce Market.

New York, Feb. 26.—Butter—Receipts, 5,887 packages; market firm; state dairy, 15@25c; extra creamery, 28c; held creamery, 18@25c; creamery, common to choice, 18@27c.

Cheese—Receipts, 2,767 packages; market firm; state full creamery, fancy small colored, fall made, 14½c; late made, 13¾c; fancy small white, fall made, 14¼c; late made, 13¾c; large colored, fall made, 14½c; late made, 13¾c; large white, fall made, 14¼c; late made, 13½c.

Eggs—Receipts, 11,747 packages; market firm; state and Pennsylvania, average best, 16½c; western, fancy, 16c; southern, 15½c; refrigerated, 8@13c.

Sugar—Raw, market steady; fair refining, 13¼c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3¾c; molasses sugar, 3c; refined, unsettled; crushed, $5.25; powdered, $4.65; granulated, $4.75.

Coffee—Market steady; No. 7 Rio, 5⅝c.

The Money Market.

New York, Feb. 26.—Money on call steady at 2 per cent.; prime mercantile paper 4¾@5¼ per cent.; sterling exchange easier, with actual business in bankers' bills, at 487.375@487.50 for demand, and at 484.25@484.375 for 60-day bills; posted rates, 485@485½ and 488½; commercial bills, 483½@484; bar silver, 48⅛; Mexican dollars, 38.

Government bonds steady.

East Buffalo Markets.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 75; market steady.

Veals—Receipts, 125; market steady; tops, $9.25@9.50; common to good, $5.50@9.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,800; market fairly active and steady; heavy, $7.45@7.50; mixed, $7.30@7.40; Yorkers, $7.20@7.30; pigs, $6.85@7; roughs, $6.40@6.65; stags, $5.25@6.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 7,800; market steady; top lambs, $7@7.10; culls to good, $4.50@6.90; yearlings, $5.50@6; ewes, $5@5.25; sheep, top mixed, $5.25@5.50; culls to good, $2.75@5.15.

The Toledo Markets.

Toledo, Ohio, Feb. 26.—Wheat—Market fairly active, lower; cash, 76½c; May, 79¼c; July, 75½c.

Corn—Market dull, steady; Feb., 46c; May, 45¾c; July, 45c.

Oats—Market dull, firm; Feb., 37¾c; May, 36⅞c.

Rye—No. 2, 54½c.

Seed—Market fairly active, lower; Feb. and March, $7.07½; prime timothy, $10.85; prime alsyke, $8.00.

No change in oil.

FORT WAYNE MARKETS

Fort Wayne, Ind., Feb. 26.—Spring wheat flour, $4@4.50; winter, bl., $3.75@4.25; Graham, $1.75 per cwt.; buckwheat, $2.65 per cwt.; corn meal, bolted, $1.50 per cwt.; corn meal, unbolted, $1.50 per cwt.

New Wheat—75c bu.
Corn—42@43c bu.
Cloverseed—$5.50@6.00 bu.
Oats—35c bu.
Timothy Seed—$1.75@$2 bu.
Rye—50c bu.
Barley—45c bu.
Chop Feed—$1.25 per cwt.
Oil Meal—$1.50 per cwt.
Flax Seed—$1.25.
Hides—Green, 7c; salted, 8c.
Calf Hides—Green, 10c; salted, 11c.
Wool—Unwashed, 18c; washed, 22c.
Bran—Ton, $19.00.
Shorts—Ton, $19.00.
Middlings—Ton, $20.
Hogs—On foot, $5.50¾@6.00.
Dressed Hogs—$8.08¼.
Sheep—On foot, $3@3.50; dressed, 7@8c lb.
Lambs—On foot, $4.50@5; dressed, 8c lb.
Calves—On foot, $5@5.50; dressed, 9@10c lb.
Steers—On foot, $4@5.00; dressed, $6@7.
Beef Cows—On foot, $2.50@3.50; dressed, 4½@5½c lb.

City Hay Market.

New Timothy—$10.00@12.00.
Mixed—$8.00@11.00.
Clover—$7.00@8.00.
Straw—$5.00@6.00.

Produce.

Butter—24@25c lb.
Creamery—30c lb.
Lard—11c lb.
Eggs—16c doz.
Chickens—10@11c lb.
Dressed Chickens—16c lb.
Potatoes—50@55c bu.
Onions—50c bu.
Honey—14@18c lb.
Apples—60@80c
Live Ducks—11c
Dressed Ducks—15c lb.
Live Turkeys—15c lb.
Dressed Turkeys—18c lb.
Live Geese—10c lb.
Dressed Geese—15c lb.

WAS BADLY SCALDED.

James Griffith, a boiler washer employed by the Pennsylvania company, was painfully scalded about the face, neck and left hand at 10 o'clock Wednesday evening. Griffith was at work beneath an engine removing some portion of the boiler when the accident occurred. Physicians recommended Griffith's removal to the hospital, but the injured man insisted upon going to his home, 1618 Simon street, where Dr. C. B. Stemen attended him.

PASSED NIGHT IN THE ICE.

Grand Haven, Mich., Feb. 26.—The fishing tugs H. J. Dornbos and C. J. Bos passed the night in safety in the ice pack off this harbor. They appear from the shore today to have suffered no damage from the pressure of the ice during the night. The steamers Naomi and Nyack, of the Crosby line, are now working on the ice pack in an effort to release the tugs. There is little wind today and no movement of the ice. At 10 o'clock the Dornbos appeared to have been freed by the steamers. The crews have food and coal and are not suffering.

No trouble to prepare quick breakfasts if you have Mrs. Austin's famous Pancake Flour. Ready in a moment. 25t6

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WANTS.

WANTED—A coatmaker, at L. Jaxtheimer & Son's. 25-3t

WANTED—A seamstress; must have reference. Call at Allen County Orphans' home, Bluffton road. 2-26-tf

WANTED—A girl for housework. Inquire 2445 Fairfield avenue; good wages. 25-2t

WANTED—A good girl; no washing; no cooking. Apply at 718 West Wayne street. 25-2t

WANTED—Platform spring truck; must be in good condition. Address Box 8, this office. 25-2t

WANTED—At once, twenty-five wood choppers. Call at Wm. Moellering's, 241 Murray street. 25-4t

WANTED—At once—Two capable girls to learn the millinery trade; pay while learning. Malloy's, 12 and 14 Arcade. 25-2t

WANTED—Everybody to call on Madam Wing, Clairvoyant, office 206 Chicago St. Bell phone 714 Brown. Price, 50c. 12-12-tf

WANTED—Two to three rooms, within ten minutes' walk of court house; man and wife; no children; best of Fort Wayne references. Address E. J. S. Sentinel. 25-2t

WANTED—I can put your sewing machine in first-class order at your home; give me your address on a postal card. W. A. McDaniel, 216 West Superior St. 26-2t

WANTED—I repair and cover umbrellas at lowest prices; new ribs, 10c; covers, from 35c and up. A. Winestine, at Field's Clothing Store, 805 Barr street. 2-25-tf

WANTED—Active and reliable man residing in Indiana to establish trade; traveling position; reasonable salary; young man preferred; some collecting; references; addressed envelope. Secy. John Card, Star Building, Chicago.

WANTED—Pupils at pattern rooms, in cutting and fitting. To all pupils dressmaking lessons free on your material; also pattern cut to your measure. For particulars please call or address A. M. Freeman, room 54, Pixley-Long block. 2-11-1m

WANTED—At Mrs. Fitzgerald's Employment office, 201 W. Washington street, first-class cooks, side dining room girls, one head waitress, also one porter; experienced private house cooks and second girls; wages $3 to $5 per week. Places both in and out of the city waiting for help. 10-2-tf

WANTED—Industrious man for permanent position; no canvassing, but to represent old established manufacturers with large capital; some traveling; guaranteed salary of $1,000 per year and expenses, with chance of promotion; previous experience not essential; state age, general business experience and references. Address R. A. Byrne, Manager, 44 N. 4th St., Phila., Pa. 21-6t

WANTED—Collections of all kinds—Notes, bills, rents and accounts. I make a specialty of collecting rents and renting houses. A. J. Ford, ex-constable of Wayne township; office room, No. 107 East Main street. References—White National bank, Old National bank, or any lawyer in the city of Fort Wayne. 2-7-1mo

WANTED—Every man, woman and child to call at Citizen's Trust company, corner Berry and Clinton, and ask for one of the handsomest banks, furnished to all who desire to save money. Capital, $200,000; interest paid on deposits. 3-tf

LOST.

LOST—A lizzard skin purse; contained sum of money. Finder return to 2321 S. Harrison street. Reward. 26-2t

LOST—Between the Clay school and Pontiac street, a small gold watch chain, with initials E. W. on front and name Ernest B. Werkman in back case. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at corner Pontiac and Smith strets. 26-2t

ANOTHER FUSION PLAN.

Dover, Del., Feb. 26.—Representative Flinn, leader of the regular republicans in the house, is preparing a proposition to be submitted to the democrats, suggesting that the regulars and democrats combine to repeal the voters' assistant law. It is also proposed to vote with the democrats in favor of State Senator Jefferson, democrat, from the Fifth district, retaining his seat. The democrats in return are asked to aid the regulars in electing a United States senator for the long term and to leave the short term vacant. The selection would be Congressman L. Heisler Ball. When submitted the proposition will be considered by the democrats in caucus.

The ladies' society of Plymouth Congregational church will be entertained tomorrow afternoon from 2:30 to 5 at the home of Mrs. Kretzinger, No. 43 Miner street. Mrs. Kretzinger will be assisted by Mrs. Krowl, Mrs. House and Mrs. Lawson.

Try The Sentinel Want Column.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Meat market. Call at 938 West Main street. 24-3t

FOR SALE—Seven-room house and lot. Inquire 1416 Broadway. 23-6t

FOR SALE—A dairy, with a good route. Address "Dairy," this office. 24-3t

FOR SALE—A desirable residence on North Harrison street. Owner will sacrifice. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Fifty-foot lot on best west end street; $1,350. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Desirable Ohio farms. Send stamp for 1903 illustrated catalogue. Robt. Neill, Oakmont, Pa. 2-17-10t

FOR SALE—Bakery—Old stand, doing a good business; will sell on monthly payments. Address Box 6, this office. 25-6t

FOR SALE—Residence on Fox street, near electric works. Owner has left city. Will name bargain price. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—House and full lot on West Williams street, $2,250; a real bargain. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Three Welsbach gasoline chandeliers, of two lamps each, in perfect order. Inquire Malloy's, 12 and 14 Arcade. 26-2t

FOR SALE—A cottage near new round house; very desirable for railroad employe. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—A large rooming house in central part of the city, 20 rooms and all modern conveniences. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—Four-year-old coach horse; 1,250 pounds; sound; good disposition; single broke; good traveler. Inquire Rev. Z. A. Harris, No. 2521 Miner street. 'Phone No. 6693. 23-6t

FOR SALE—At private sale, commencing Thursday morning, sideboard, dining chairs and table, rockers, heating and cook stove and other household furniture. 716 West Jefferson street. 25-2t

FOR SALE—Vacant lots in all parts of the city on which I will build you a home after your own design and sell on monthly payments; office open every evening. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—A capital investment—For 75 cents on the dollar I will sell two hundred and ninety-four shares of stock ($14,700.00) in the Anthony Wayne Mfg. Co., of Fort Wayne, Ind. For terms, apply to A. C. F. Wichman, 2437 Kosciusko street, St. Louis, Mo. 2-23-12t

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—If you need money, read ad. on second page, first column. 7-30-tf

FOR RENT—Several desirable houses and business rooms; will be pleased to show on application. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR RENT—Pleasant, furnished rooms, with board, bath and all modern conveniences, half square east of Calhoun, at 129 East Washington. 8-27-tf

FOR RENT—Lodge room can be had by parties desiring it on either Wednesday or Friday evening at very reasonable price; nice dancing floor in same building to rent on any Saturday afternoon or evening. Telephone 1082, new phone. 10-tf

FOR RENT—Seven-room house. Inquire 446 East DeWald street. 21-24-26-28

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms; also, want boarders, at 208 W. Wayne St. 1-22-1m

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, with bath, hot water, furnace heat. Call at 236 Douglas avenue. 25-2t

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, with board, to responsible persons. Call at 103 (old No.) W. Berry Street. f3-1m

FOR RENT—Floral hall, Flick building, 207-9 W. Berry street; large hall, well heated, lighted and furnished; suitable for entertainments; afternoons, $3.50; evenings, $5.00. Small hall—evenings, $3.00. Dwelling, 1232 W. Washington street, 7 rooms, $16.00 per month. Inquire mornings at Flick Building. Geo. W. Flick. 1-16-tf

FOR RENT—1028 Garden street, modern; 1019 Garden St.; 132 E. Berry, 3d floor, modern; 2403 S. Calhoun, modern, 715 W. Wayne, modern; 2217 S. Calhoun street, and stable; 1214 Webster street; 206 Spy Run avenue; vacant lots on West Main street, and improved property in different parts of the city for sale. Schrader & Wilson, 709 Court street, first floor. 9-10-tf

PERSONAL.

Everybody consults Ramonda, the Gypsy fortune teller, 209 West Superior street (between Harrison and Wells). Hours, 10 to 9 daily and Sunday. Ladies, 25c; gentlemen, 50c. Past, present and future. 2-24-1m

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A bargain in Lakeside property; must be sold quick. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Property on nearly every street in the city. See what I have before you buy. F. G. Gauntt. 1-28-tf

FOR SALE—7-room cottage, with bath and electric lights, a full lot, between reservoir and Williams grove. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—New 6-room residence, bath, furnace and lights, near Clay street school, $2,600. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Desirable residence on Savilla avenue, near Broadway; will be sold at less than value. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—A 7-room house; has good cellar, both kinds water; electric lights; on car line and paved street. A bargain if taken at once. F. G. Gauntt, cor. Berry and Harrison streets. 9-12-tf

FOR SALE—A 6, 7 and 8-room house on East Lewis street, $2,000 to $2,500; a 7 and 8-room house on East Jefferson street. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—In Bloomingdale, 11 houses, $1,000 to $3,000; in Lakeside, seven houses, $1,300 to $4,000. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—Near Pennsylvania round house, ten new houses which can be bought on monthly payments. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—Eight business blocks in heart of city, all paying good interest on investment; prices range from $4,000 to $15,000. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—8 modern houses on West DeWald, West Williams and West Butler streets, $2,400 to $3,000; 7 cottages in South Wayne, $1,100 to $2,000. G. Davis, 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—Two beautiful suburban homes just at the edge of the city; modern house on Liberty street, $2,000; 3 modern houses on Spy Run avenue, have only been built a year. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—Corner lot, 50x150, south side, with a good 8-room brick house and a good 6-room frame house; both streets paved; price reduced to $5,000.00 if sold soon. Louis F. Curdes, 3 and 4 Pixley-Long block. 2-12-tf

FOR SALE—25 good farms, 40 to 240 acres, in Aboite, Milan, Marion, St. Joe, Perry, Cedar Creek, Jefferson and Pleasant townships, $40 to $75 per acre; some will trade for city property. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—Eight-room brick house; drove well, cistern; two lots, south side; good place to raise poultry; a bargain, only $1,600; easy payments, long time. Also vacant lots, $125; $5 cash, $2.50 per month. Inquire at 902 Columbia avenue. 1-31-1mo

FOR SALE—5-room cottage on East Wayne street, full lot, paved street, $2,200; also 7-room frame house on East Wayne street, paved street, lot 37x150, $2,500. Louis F. Curdes, 3 and 4 Pixley-Long block. 2-12-tf

FOR SALE—Two special bargains in modern houses on West Berry and West Washington streets, also five modern houses on Washington boulevard and 6 on West Wayne street, $2,400 to $10,000. G. Davis, 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—Nearly new modern 7-room house on Pontiac St.; several lots on Pontiac St., near Lafayette, price $360 to $700; fine lot on paved street and car line near new shop at a bargain. F. G. Gauntt, cor. Berry and Harrison Sts. 9-12-tf

FOR SALE—Several desirable properties on Jefferson, Washington, Wayne and Berry Sts.; prices, $2,300 to $20,000; also several fine lots on same streets; 9-room house, barn and large lot near Knitting Mills at a sacrifice, owner leaving city. F. G. Gauntt, cor. Berry and Harrison Sts. 9-12-tf

FOR SALE—A seven-room house on East Jefferson street, with good barn, $2,200; a nineroom house on East DeWald street, with modern improvements, rents for $17 per month, $2,600; vacant lot on Taylor street, near Broadway, $750—want an offer; a seven-room house on Gay street, $1,550; an eight-room house on Hugh street, near Francis, $2,350; a nine-room house on Eliza street, $2,400; a six-room house on Smith street, $1,400; a seven-room house on Hoffman street, $1,850. A good grocery for sale; sold at a bargain; call at once. John T. Wagner, Real Estate and Loans, 23 Court St. 1-9-tf

FOR SALE—If you want to invest in city property or a farm, call on R. Stahl, office 405 East Washington street, corner of Lafayette. Home phone 1434. 11-10-tf

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Matinee prices: Balcony, 10 cents. Lower floor, 20 cents.

On Monday evening a limited number of tickets will be sold to ladies at half price. The number is positively limited to 300, and the management reserve the right to withdraw this offer at any time. The box office for the reservation of seats for this engagement will open Friday morning.

W. SCOTT COOPER GOES TO BROOKLYN

Will Have Charge of Wabash Shops and Round House at That Terminal.

REARRANGING THE CABLES

Pennsylvania Putting Two 100 Wire Lines Underground at Dynamo Plant.

J. B. Barnes, superintendent of motive power of the Wabash, who is in the city on business connected with the office, has placed W. Scott Cooper at Brooklyn, a terminal of the middle division, where he will have full charge of the round house and the shops. Mr. Cooper, as the reader will recall, was assistant master mechanic of the western division of the system for several months, retiring from that office upon the appointment of a master mechanic.

Putting Cables Underground.

Chief Lineman Staley, of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg, is here with a gang of workmen to rearrange the cable connections of the Pennsylvania dynamo plant in the superintendent's building. The aerial system is to be changed to an underground system from the dynamos to the corner of the new erecting shop, where they branch off in an east and west direction. There will be two underground lead cables of 100 wires each. Mr. Staley and his men make their headquarters in a camp car while on duty. This car is equipped for sleeping and eating, having eighteen bunks and a well equipped dining room and kitchen. There is also an ordinary baggage car for carrying linemen's supplies. Mr. Staley will probably be here several days.

Receiving Locomotives.

The twenty Atlantic type engines ordered by the Pennsylvania for the Southwest system are now being delivered and the last one will be in service within ninety days. The Big Four has ordered some engines to be delivered next year, when the world's fair at St. Louis will make passenger business on that road almost double that of today. The Wabash, which will also take a considerable part in exposition business, has been preparing for it for the past two years and will be well supplied with passenger equipment when the business opens. The Vandalia will receive six freight locomotives from the American Locomotive works within the next ten days.

Will be Married Next Week.

Fireman J. Koch, of the Pennsylvania, and one of the best known young knights of the scoop and pick in the city, is arranging to take unto himself a bride. He will be married to a most charming young lady at Crestline early next week and immediately after the ceremony will bring his bride here to reside. This information was supposed to be confined to the prospective groom and bride and one or two intimate friends, and their acquaintances will probably be surprised to read this notice.

Scalded With Coffee.

Machinist James P. Fox, of the night gang at the Pittsburg shops, was most painfully scalded about 12 o'clock last night. He placed his coffee can, an ordinary round tin affair with an air tight lid, on the stove and when he picked it up again and was in the act of opening it, the can exploded, sending the hot fluid on Mr. Fox. His face, neck and upper part of the chest were badly burned, but Dr. R. P. White, the attending surgeon, believes that no lasting injury will result. Mr. Fox will be unable to work for some time.

Free Noon Lecture.

R. W. Watertown, supervisor, and W. O. Cooper, traveling instructor, of the International Correspondence School of Scranton, Pa., are in the city for the purpose of stimulating the interest in that method of obtaining useful knowledge. At noon today they talked to the employes at the Fort Wayne Electric works, illustrating their subject with a lot of charts which were tacked upon the shop wall. The school has over 100 students among the employes at those works. Next Thursday Messrs. Watertown and Cooper will address the employes at the Western Gas Construction company's factory during the noon hour.

Not Seriously Injured.

Nelson Richey, the electrician who so narrowly escaped electrocution yesterday, while at work in the Fort Wayne Electric company's shop, will be able to resume work in a week or two. Except from the pain caused by the burns on his hands, he is apparently all right and called at the shops this morning to see his comrades.

Ramsey Approves Plans.

Pittsburg, Feb. 26.—Joseph Ramsey, jr., president of the Wabash Railroad company, has approved the plans for the new station in this city, and the contract for its construction has been awarded to the George A. Fueller company. The structure is to be completed in ten months and will cost over $1,000,000.

Wabash Officials Go East.

President Joseph Ramsey and General Superintendent H. L. Magee, of the Wabash, are east in the interest of the company. Mr. Ramsey went to Pittsburg yesterday morning and Mr. Magee passed through the city on train No. 2, en route to Buffalo, this morning. Both officials will return to St. Louis Sunday, where there "will be something doing" Monday if the news from brotherhood headquarters is a true indication. A Chicago paper this morning says: "Fifteen hundred trainmen will go on strike on the Wabash system next Monday unless President Ramsey grants the increase in wages demanded by the men. The members of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen were ordered to vote this week on the proposition to strike, refusing a 5 per cent. increase in wages offered. W. G. Lee, first vice grand master of the brotherhood, who had been in Chicago for two days, left for the headquarters of the organization at Cleveland last night, and with P. H. Morrisey, grand chief, goes to St. Louis on Saturday, where the vote of the men will be counted Monday morning. While Mr. Lee refused to make a direct statement, the inference was drawn that the trainmen are anxious for a battle with the Wabash system. He said all the men demanded was the St. Louis schedule, as agreed to by the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, Missouri Pacific, Cotton Belt and Frisco systems, which granted the passenger conductors and brakemen an increase of 12 per cent. above present wages and 15 per cent. to freight conductors and brakemen."

Stenographer Goes West.

Among the passengers on Pennsylvania train No. 21 when it pulled out of this city for the west at 10:10 o'clock this morning was Miss Josephine Carter, stenographer for Assistant Sales Manager A. A. Serva, of the Fort Wayne Electric works. Miss Carter has been in poor health for some time and her physician advised her to go to Denver and remain and she has started for that city in accordance with the instructions from the doctor. A touching incident at the works attested to the kindly feelings entertained by the office force for Miss Carter. As the train on which she was riding passed the shop this morning, the entire force of clerks and stenographers was lined up on the north side of the building and as Miss Carter's face appeared at one of the car windows, she was greeted by waving of hands and shouts of "good-bye" from the ladies and gentlemen with whom she had been so long associated. Miss Carter's sister resides in Denver and the young lady will make her home with her.

B. R. T. Legislative Board.

Fort Wayne lodge, No. 136, Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, is in receipt of a large photograph of its legislative committeemen, who met in Indianapolis at the beginning of the present session of the state legislature. In the group are C. A. Scott, of this city, and W. G. Cameron, of Garrett. The latter was formerly night yardmaster in this city for the Wabash. There are twelve faces in the picture. The board has seventeen members, a representative from each brotherhood lodge, but five of the members were not in the capital when the picture was taken.

Charley Britton Dead.

Engineer John Laylander, of the Nickel Plate, was informed by a telegram yesterday of the death of Charles Britton, a fireman in the employ of the Wheeling and Lake Erie road. Britton was killed in an accident at Limestone, Ohio, but the particulars of the accident were not given in the telegram announcing his death. Until a year ago Charles Britton was employed on the Nickel Plate and had a run between this city and Bellevue. Mr. Laylander will attend the funeral.

Shopman Married.

'Squire B. W. Skelton was called to the home of Mrs. Bucher, on East Washington street, at 6 o'clock last evening, to perform the ceremony uniting that lady's daughter, Miss Annie C. Bucher, and George Ensign in marriage. Following the ceremony the bride and groom and the guests sat down to a most sumptuous supper. Mr. and Mrs. Ensign will soon go to housekeeping. The groom is a Pennsylvania shopman.

Member of Wreck Crew Hurt.

While assisting in clearing the wreckage from the Nickel Plate at Arcadia, Ohio, yesterday morning, Charles Keller, of the Bellevue crew, had a leg broken. The unfortunate man is a blacksmith in the company's round house and shops at Bellevue.

New Employes.

Foreman P. J. Scheid, of the Pittsburg round house, yesterday put some new names on the list of workmen at that establishment, included being T. J. Blesiada, A. L. Stout, A. E. Swayne, C. H. Kammeyer and August Pelz. J. G. Stanley, who has been sick and who is now in the hospital, has given notice of his determination to quit his position there on account of his health being injured by it. F. O. Johnson, A. F. Krage and C. S. Thompson also resigned their positions.

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An Overworked Engineer.

When asked by a train dispatcher to make a statement why he was out several hours overtime on a run, a Lake Shore engineer at Elkhart recently broke down and cried like a child. He had been putting in much extra time and had encountered considerable trouble on several runs, and the strain proved too much for him, his nerves giving away entirely. He was sent to his home to rest and recuperate.

Industrial Notes.

Charles Allen, a machinist helper, quit the Bass shops this morning.

H. Alexander, a Nickel Plate brakeman, resigned his position last night.

Shopman J. H. Arnold is sick and Stationary Engineer H. G. McDole has gone out of the city on business.

Mrs. C. A. Smith is lying ill at her home, 2925 South Wayne avenue. She is the wife of Engineer Smith, of the Wabash.

Nicholas J. Roth, a patternmaker at the Pittsburg shops and residing on John street, is the father of a bouncing baby boy.

Mesdames W. F. Jungles and A. T. Holmes, wives of Pennsylvania engineers, are preparing for a visit with friends in Chicago.

Mrs. Hall, wife of Brakeman E. M. Hall, of the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, is lying quite ill with catarrhal fever at her home on Hugh street.

Machinist Thomas Saffen, of the Bass works, has been absent from the shop for the past two weeks, being ill, though he is able to walk about.

T. J. Rodabaugh, foreman of the paint department of the Pittsburg shops, left for Columbus, Ohio, at noon today on business for the company.

The new bond issue of the Erie railway provided for the purchase of 3,000 freight cars, fifty passenger coaches and 100 locomotives the present year.

The air compressor for the Pennsylvania power plant and the largest compressor ever brought to this city, arrived yesterday and will be installed as soon as possible.

Machinists C. D. and E. L. Strouse, brothers, and F. Spangler, Joseph King, Ernest Wilson and J. D. Thomas, laborers, have resigned their positions at the Wabash shops.

Robert Shuman, an apprentice at the Wabash machine shop, had his right eye injured this morning by being struck with a piece of babbit metal. Dr. M. F. Porter removed the metal from the eye.

Machinists W. F. O'Connor and W. Mailand, who had been off duty on account of their machines being moved, resumed work at the Pittsburg shops yesterday.

On account of the necessity of rushing coal to the market railroad men on the Philadelphia and Reading have been compelled to work eighteen hours per day.

Miss A. Monnot will leave in a day or two for Cleveland, on a visit with friends. The young lady is a relative of Engineer H. E. Wagner, with whom she makes her home.

Engineer E. L. Tenney and Firemen J. Engiman, W. E. Baxter and B. H. Harpst, of the Pennsylvania, are off duty, the later on account of a lame hand. The others are sick.

A big consignment of transformers and meters for Boston left the electric works this morning. A motor for the American Clay Working company, South Rivers, N. J., also left the works.

F. Muhlenbruch, of the Pittsburg shops, fell this morning and cut a gash in the palm of his right hand. While the wound is not considered of a serious character, it will disable Mr. Muhlenbruch several days.

W. H. Bliss, of New York, at the head of the Bliss Car Lighting company, is in the city on business with the Fort Wayne Electric company. The latter firm is building most of the machines for the Bliss company.

John Kirchner, who had been visiting his brother-in-law, L. J. Stetter, of the Pittsburg shop, has returned to his home in Adams county. Mr. Kirchner has charge of a gang of men at the Preble pumping station of the Standard Oil company.

Oscar B. Johnson, claim clerk in the Pennsylvania freight house, has been called to Pittsburg to take a position in the office of E. E. Wright, general freight claim agent of the company. C. B. Geiger has been transferred from the Chicago transfer department to the place vacated by Mr. Johnson.

Peru Journal: "Engineer John Brumbaugh, of the Wabash, has recovered from a long siege of typhoid fever and has returned to work. He has been given the turn-around run between Peru and Toledo with engines Nos. 600, 610 and 426. His old favorite, 605, is receiving the attention of Engineer Butler."

A. H. Minor, for a number of years joint ticket agent of the Lake Shore and Grand Rapids and Indiana roads at Kendallville, has resigned to take up another line of work, and Edward McConnell, of Ligonier, has been appointed to succeed him.

Nickel Plate Conductor C. LaPoint, who was visiting out of the city two weeks, has returned to resume his duties on the road. Conductor J. E. Denbow and Brakeman J. E. Henderson, who were off duty on account of sickness, also reported yesterday.

The two-track tanks which have been placed in the center of the Lake Shore tracks at Painesville, Ohio, are completed, and engines may take water while running at full speed. These pans are 2,500 feet long, eight inches wide and twelve deep. Steam pipes open into the pans about every forty feet, and the steam passing through the water prevents it from freezing in cold weather, the steam being furnished by a boiler house located near the tracks.

Married Women

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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—Forecast for Indiana—Rain or snow in north, rain in south portion tonight and Friday; increasing northeast winds.

CITY BREVITIES.

Kekionga council, No. 93, National Union, held an enjoyable smoker at the hall last evening.

There was a very large attendance at the meeting of the National Union last evening and the members enjoyed a social session at cards and a musicale.

Superintendent G. Max Hofmann, of the gas company, who has been quite ill since his return from Kansas, is again able to be about. Mr. Hofmann had a narrow escape from pneumonia.

A team of horses owned by Edward Somers ran away on Pearl street last evening and when trying to turn at Harrison, one of the horses fell and slid across the street, bringing up against a telegraph pole.

Rev. A. S. Preston, who is making a lecture tour through Michigan, will be absent over Sunday and the pulpit at Wayne Street M. E. church will be filled by Rev. W. Hickman, D. D., chancellor of DePauw university, at the morning and evening services.

The young men's society of the First Presbyterian church will have a meeting this evening for the purpose of forming classes for gymnasium instruction. A fine gymnasium outfit has been purchased by the society and a competent physical instructor will be in charge of the classes.

THE BIRTH RECORD.

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LOST

In vicinity of St. Patrick's church, a lady's purse containing $5 bill, $2 in silver, some change and a small vial of medicine. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving with Will A. Rundell at the store of G. E. Bursley & Co.

MRS. FAIRBANKS IS AGAIN GIVEN HONOR

Indiana Woman Re-elected to Presidency of Daughters of the Revolution.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The election of officers was the feature of today's session of the Daughters of the American Revolution. There was less excitement than usual over the result in view of the unequivocal declaration of Mrs. Donald McLean, of New York, that she would not permit her name to be presented as a candidate for president-general, leaving the field clear for Mrs. Charles W. Fairbanks, of Indiana, the present incumbent. Mrs. Percy S. Foster, the musical director, introduced Mrs. Tryphosa Bachelder, regent of the Abigail Adams chapter of Boston, Mass., who sang Gounod's prayer. Mrs. Waring, of South Carolina, took the chair during the reading of the minutes of yesterday's sessions, which were approved after a number of corrections and personal explanations. The congress formally accepted the invitation of President Roosevelt to a reception at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at the white house.

TAKES NEW POSITION.

William Neeb, for the past fifteen years shipping clerk at the Fox bakery, has tendered his resignation and will become superintendent for the Heit-Miller-Lau company. The change is a marked advance for Mr. Neeb and will be highly gratifying to his many friends. He will be succeeded at the Fox factory by Oscar Schirmeyer.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

MOCK.

Jacob Mock, a well known pioneer farmer, died Tuesday at his home, near Hoagland at the advanced age of 78 years, death being due to the infirmities of age. Mr. Mock had been a resident of that section since early manhood, was widely known and enjoyed the universal respect and esteem of his acquaintances. He had resided on the farm on which he died for over fifty years.

Surviving relatives include six children, two of whom reside in Fort Wayne. They are Mrs. F. A. Bowman, 1330 Jackson street; Mrs. Chris. Rhine, wife of the Wabash blacksmith; Wesley and Lemuel Mock, of Adams township; Mrs. Ed Longhenry, of Chicago, and Mrs. Williams, of Kansas City.

The interment will occur in the I. O. O. F. cemetery at New Haven.

ROMY.

The remains of Miss Clarice Carrol Romy, who died in Chicago Tuesday, arrived in the city at noon today, and were taken directly to Lindenwood cemetery for interment.

Miss Romy was a daughter of Charles Romy, once a member of the Fort Wayne police force, and was born and reared in this city, residing in Fort Wayne until about four years ago. Her age was 24 years and 6 months, and death came after a very brief illness consequent upon a severe cold.

She was educated in the local schools, was a pupil at St. Augustine's academy and in addition took a course at the European school of music. She was a talented young woman, and after her removal to Chicago achieved high distinction as an elocutionist. Surviving relatives include the parents, a brother and a sister, the latter being Mrs. Helen C. Pierlot, leading lady in Lincoln J. Carter's "Two Waifs" company. Mrs. Pierlot was playing at Akron, Ohio, at the time of her sister's death and hastened to Chicago to attend the funeral services, which were conducted by Rev. Frank Talmage, in whose church the deceased was a prominent member.

Many friends from this city met the funeral party at the train and accompanied the cortege to Lindenwood, where Rev. Dr. Wagenhals conducted brief services at the grave. There were many elaborate floral offerings. The pall bearers included Martin Schels, Dr. E. A. Crull, Dr. Wynekin, Dr. Jessie Higgins, Jack Duke and U. S. Hoffmann.

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

Garver.—Funeral services of Mrs. Sarah E. Garver will be held privately, from the residence of a daughter, Mrs. Smith, 2815 Hoagland avenue, Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

LECTURE ON JERUSALEM.

This evening Miss Florence Ben-Oliel will lecture on Jerusalem at the First Baptist church, the lecture being the second in the course of three on the holy city. Thirty young ladies in Palestine costumes will assist Miss Oliel in illustrating her talk.

IN JUSTICES' COURTS.

Justice Skelton yesterday refused to issue a warrant for the arrest of James Wright, the well known colored man, formerly head waiter at the Wayne hotel for a number of years. A bogus case instituted by another colored man named Mitchel was dismissed in police court yesterday morning and Mitchel sought to get even by filing an affidavit against Wright in Skelton's court, but the justice refused to have anything to do with him.

IN FAVOR OF ARBITRATION.

New York, Feb. 26.—At the last annual conference on international arbitration at Mohonk Lake, a circular was prepared by a special committee on the subject "Why Business Men Should Promote International Arbitration." This circular was sent to commercial bodies throughout the United States and the committee has been informed that it has been recommended for consideration of their members by the executive committees of the following organizations: The Merchants' association, New York city; the Trades League, Philadelphia, Pa.; the Board of Trade, Philadelphia, Pa.; the Chamber of Commerce, Boston, Mass.; the Merchants' Exchange, St. Louis, Mo.; the Chamber of Commerce, Baltimore, Md.; the Board of Trade, Baltimore, Md.; the Merchants' association, San Francisco, Cal.; the Chamber of Commerce, San Francisco, Cal.; the Board of Trade, Limited, New Orleans, La.; the Chamber of Commerce, Milwaukee, Wis.; the Commercial Club, Indianapolis, Ind.; the Board of Trade, Little Rock, Ark.

M'GOVERN WINS EASILY.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 26.—Terry McGovern showed a glimpse of his old-time form when he defeated Maynard, the local feather weight, in less than four rounds last night before over 4,000 fight fans. It was a fast bout, brimful of rapid and vicious exchanges, in which the local man was obliged to succumb to nature and the body blows of the ex-champion, sinking down from exhaustion, where he remained until the usual ten seconds had been counted. At the finish McGovern danced around in high glee.

JUDGES REFUSE TO ACT.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 26.—John Charlton, M. P., who has just returned from Washington, in an interview, says that while there he learned on high authority that the judges of the supreme court of the United States had refused to act upon the Alaskan boundary commission. Mr. Charlton expressed the opinion that the treaty would have failed of ratification if Senators Lodge and Turner had not been named members of the commission.

M. E. INGALLS FOR MAYORALTY.

Cincinnati, Feb. 26.—President M. E. Ingalls, of the Big Four railroad, has accepted the nomination for the mayoralty of Cincinnati, on the citizens-democratic fusion ticket. A select committee of four members of the citizens' ticket of twenty-six called on Mr. Ingalls yesterday, and now have his acceptance that if elected he shall be mayor without qualifications or promises. While he would be firm in his stand for upholding law and order, he is not disposed to be narrow-minded, but believes in the interpretation of the law in a liberal spirit.

FILE WAGE SUGGESTIONS.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 26.—All the suggestions regarding the changes in the wage scale of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers, to be submitted to the annual convention of the organization in Columbus next April, have been filed with the general officers of the organization in Pittsburg. They are being printed and will be sent out to all lodges. It is said that, while many changes in the organization are proposed and some alterations in the wage scale were suggested, comparatively few of the lodges had sent in any suggestion regarding an advance in wage rates.

CHILIAN BANKS SWINDLED.

New York, Feb. 26.—By the arrest of a man who gave his name as Fermin Montero, at the pier of a steamer about to sail for New York, says the Herald's Panama correspondent, it has been revealed that several of the most important banking houses of Santiago, Chili, were swindled out of $2,000,000 in gold several weeks ago. Montero, who is accused of the crime, was easily identified, and quietly submitted to arrest. He will be returned to Chili by the next Chilean steamer for trial.

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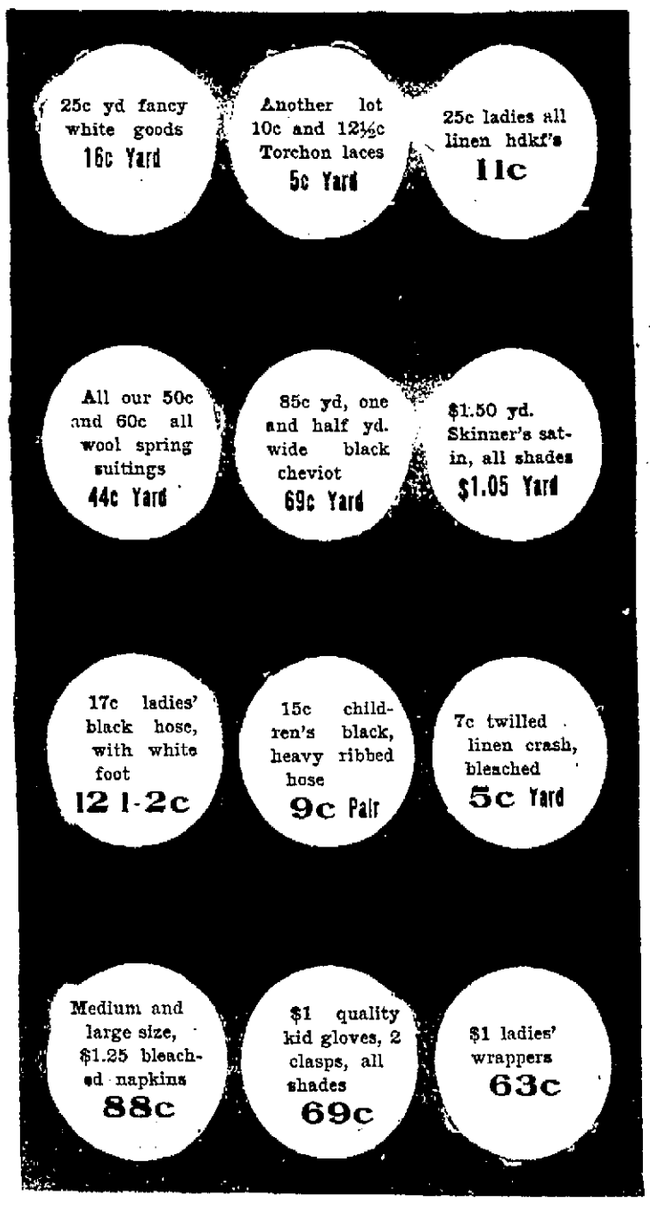
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FORCES CLOSE IN A FINAL STRUGGLE

Majority Adopts Rules Which Throttle All Debate and Choke Off All Power to Amend Bills.

Washington, Feb. 27.—The house entered today upon the final struggle for mastery during the remainder of the present session. To reduce to the minimum the minority's power to obstruct legislation the house committee this morning ordered a favorable report on the special rules prepared yesterday. The rules are as follows:

"Resolved, That immediately upon the adoption of this rule, and at any time thereafter during the remainder of this session, it shall be in order to take from the speaker's table any general appropriation bill returned with senate amendments, and such amendments having been read, the question shall be at once taken without debate or intervening motion on the following question:

"'Will the house disagree to said amendments en bloc and ask a conference with the senate?' and if this motion shall be decided in the affirmative the speaker shall at once appoint the conferees without the intervention of any motion. If the house shall decide said motion in the negative, the effect of said vote shall be to agree to the said amendments."

The second rule, which is designed to continue the legislative day of yesterday until March 4, is as follows:

"Resolved, That for the remainder of this session the motion to take a recess shall be a privileged motion and take precedence of the motion to adjourn."

IN THE HOUSE.

Washington, Feb. 27.—With the reconvening of the house at 11 o'clock this morning the fight of yesterday was resumed and the indications were for a stormy session. When the speaker's gavel fell Mr. Richardson, the minority leader, made the point of no quorum.

"We cannot do business without a quorum," said he, adding sarcastically, "although we can unseat a member without one."

The speaker calmly replied that there was manifestly no quorum present and directed a call of the house.

On the call 267 members appeared. Mr. Underwood, democrat, of Alabama, rising to a parliamentary inquiry, asked if the agricultural appropriation bill which had come to the house with senate amendments, had been referred to the committee on agriculture. The speaker replied that it had not, that the chair, exercising his discretion, had kept it on the speaker's table.

Mr. Underwood called attention to the fact that unanimous consent was yesterday refused when it was asked for the purpose of non-concurring in the senate amendments and referring the bill to conference and asked if that action did not send it to the committee. The speaker replied that it did not. Thereupon Mr. Underwood attempted to move the reference, but the speaker declined to recognize him for that purpose.

The speaker then laid before the house the president's veto of the bill to remove the charge of desertion against Levi L. Reed.

Mr. Hull moved the reference of the message to the committee on military affairs and upon that motion demanded the previous question. The democrats forced a roll call upon the demand.

ROLL CALL FORCED.

The previous question was ordered 158 to 104, and another roll call followed on the motion to refer the message to the military affairs committee.

The message was referred 193 to 59. As soon as the speaker had announced the vote Mr. Fleming (dem-

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MURDERER WADE HAS CONFESSED

Slayer of Aged Miss Sullivan, Worn by Stress of Trial, Breaks Down.

IS ASSAULTED IN COURT

Brothers of His Victim Try to Do Violence to Murderer, Who Faints

Toledo, Ohio, Feb. 27.—Al Wade today confessed to the murder two years ago of Kate Sullivan. The confession came at the close of one of the most sensational trials ever held in this city. Wade's attorney, Novelist Brand Whitelock, offered then to enter a plea of guilty to second degree murder for his client, but this was refused by the state's attorney. The defense rested its case. It is to go to the jury this evening. Two desperate attempts were made by the brother of the murdered woman to assault the prisoner in the court room today, but both failed. The prisoner fainted and the county physician is of the opinion that he is losing his mind as the result of the terrible ordeal through which he has gone in the past three days.

JOHN WEBBER HELD FOR GRAND LARCENY

Indicted by Grand Jury for Receiving Stolen Goods—No New Sensations.

Late this afternoon John Webber, the well known horse buyer, living on Pearl street, was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Reichelderfer on an indictment by the grand jury. Webber is charged with grand larceny and receiving stolen goods. Bail was fixed at $500 and was furnished by Attorney Dan Ninde. Some months ago Webber purchased a team from a man named Rader, which, it turned out, the latter had stolen from his wife. Webber was notified that the team was stolen, but when a deputy sheriff appeared with a writ of replevin, the team was nowhere to be found, and is still missing. Rader was sent up for two to fourteen years from the DeKalb county court.

Webber's arrest is the forty-first made on the seventy-three indictments returned. No new sensations were developed today aside from the arrest of Webber. It is believed that all the senational features of the grand jury's work have been brought to light.

Bench warrants served since the report published in Thursday's Sentinel were as follows, the indicted person, the offense, amount of bond and name of bondsman being given in order:

Al C. Heckler, frequenting a gambling house, $100, S. R. Miner.

Charles Diehm, keeping a house of prostitution, $200, Gary Braybrook.

Fred Rosselot, frequenting gambling houses, $100, Mat Momper.

Fred Sewell, frequenting gambling houses, $100, Frank Belchin.

Frank Kreutzer, selling liquor without a license, $100, Gary Braybrook.

Justin Adams, rape, released from jail on bond for $1,000 furnished by Josiah and Ephraim Adams.

Addison Giles, frequenting a gambling house, $100, James A. Goodfellow.

Vernon Chisholm, frequenting a gambling room, $100, James A. Goodfellow.

John Soliday (constable), taxing illegal fees, $500, R. S. Robertson.

MYSTERIOUS TRAGEDY.

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 27.—E. T. Burdick, president of th Buffalo Envelope works, was found dead in his room today with his skull crushed. The indications are that it was the work of burglars. An open front door and a rear window broken open indicated that the murder was committed by robbers. An examination by the police showed that nothing had been stolen. Mr. Burdick was last seen alive at 10:30 o'clock last night, when he went down stairs to fix the furnace for the night. The body was found stretched out upon a couch and covered with a rug and sofa pillows. The couch was soaked with blood that flowed from the wounds on the head. The articles in the room also were strewn about and there were many bloodstains on the floor and wal

FOUND HIS HANDS AT WIFE'S THROAT

Knapp Tells of Murderous Impulses That Came Upon Him in Sleep.

HIS CRIMES MYSTIFY HIM

Fellow Convict at Michigan City Gives Details of Knapp's Murders.

Hamilton, Ohio, Feb. 27.—Mrs. Sadie Wenzell, who came here last night to see her brother, Alfred Knapp, the self-confessed multi-murderer, had a long talk with the prisoner in the presence of Sheriff Bisdorf. Others also talked with him and he was asked:

"Had you not been arrested, would you have killed the wife whom you now have in Indianapolis?"

"I know that she woke up several times since we were married and found my hands on her neck when I was asleep. She would wake when I grabbed her and wake me and asked me what I meant by taking hold of her neck that way, and I could not tell her why, because I was asleep and did not know I had done it. Just last week she woke up just in time or she might never have woke up at all. I grabbed her so tight and was choking her so that she was nearly gone when she come to and woke me up. I can't see what makes me do that."

The prisoner's manner in making this answer was that of a person vaguely speculating over a question which he could not answer.

DETAILS OF CRIMES.

Indianapolis, Feb. 27.—A statement made by Charles Jones, in the Michigan City, Ind., prison in 1896, gives details of some of the crimes to which Knapp has confessed. The statement is at variance with statements made by the prisoner since his arrest. Knapp claims that his first wife, Emma Stubbs, got a divorce and left him. Jones says Knapp said in prison that he killed her, so he could marry Miss Connors, who later became his second wife. Concerning the murder of Mrs. Knapp No. 2, Knapp, according to Jones, said that after throwing her off the Liberty street bridge at Cincinnati, he went down after her. Finding that she still lived, he finished the job by choking her. His reason for this murder was that his wife had accused him of murdering Mary Eckhard, and had threatened to expose him. Knapp also admitted the Eckhard murder, Jones said, and claimed he did it for 75 cents which the girl had.

Knapp also told Jones of killing a girl in Cincinnati. He said he was lying on a stack of lumber, below which the girl sat. He threw a piece of timber on her head. He thought someone had seen him and went down to examine the girl. She was not quite dead and he was afraid she would survive and expose him, so he finished her by hitting her with a plank. He hid the body in a stack of lumber.

Knapp told Jones that there were other crimes that could be charged to him that would break his neck three or four times. He said they tried to bring the Gebhard murder to his door, but he played it too cute for them.

One of the peculiar things about the case of Knapp is that the confession of murders made while he was in the Michigan City penitentiary was never made public and no attempt was made to arrest him on any charge when he was released from the penitentiary last year.

There is much criticism of the various officials who knew of the confession for not making it public or seeing to it that Knapp was rearrested. According to the statement of A. A. Womack, who was then sheriff of Marion county, the confession, though he cannot find it now, was made in the presence of himself, Warden Harley, the chaplain and the stenographer, who took it down in shorthand. He told of the confession to Frank McCray, then judge of the criminal court, and Charles Wilsie, then prosecutor. Womack said he wanted the judge and the prosecutor to induce Governor Mount to pardon Knapp, so that he could be tried for the Gebhard murder, but they refused it, fearing Knapp might not stand by his confession, that they might fail to convict him and he would then be free.

Womack said his term and the terms of all the other officials who knew of the confession expired before Knapp was released from the penitentiary and he supposed that they had just neglected to see that anything was done, as was the case with him.

MAYOR'S SALARY STAYS AT $1,000

Senate Kills Ulrey's Bill to Increase His Pay to the Former Figures.

REPORT ON BILL DIVIDED

Belief Exists That Under New Law Grave Robbers Will Escape Penalty.

(Special to The Sentinel.)

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 27.—The salary of the mayor of Fort Wayne will not be increased by the legislature this year. Senator Ulrey's bill providing that the salary should be placed at the former figures, $2,500, instead of $1,000, was killed by the senate this forenoon. There was a divided committee report on the bill, the majority report recommending indefinite postponement and the minority recommending passage.

Senator Ulrey spoke for the bill, stating that it was one that all citizens of Fort Wayne, both republicans and democrats, favored, but his arguments were of no avail. Ulrey said that the salary had been reduced by the legislature two years ago because a bill was passed taking many duties of the mayor away from him, but that the supreme court had not upheld the latter law and the mayor now has to do as much work as ever at two-fifths the salary.

GHOULS MAY ESCAPE.

The question has been raised whether the men under indictment for grave robbery here and in other cities will not go free under the provisions of house bill No. 100, which has been signed by Governor Durbin. The bill repeals all former laws relating to grave robbery and many attorneys argue that the ghouls cannot now be further prosecuted. The attorney general is not of this opinion, however, and says that they can be prosecuted under the law that existed at the time the crime was committed.

A movement was started in the house today to amend the bill increasing the salary of the state tax commissioners so that they will be required to work for the present compensation of $2,000, and must also take up the work of seeking out sequestered taxes, for which they will be allowed expenses not to exceed $1,000 per year. The amendment also carries a rider fixing the salary of appellate judges at $4,250 and the reporter of the supreme court at $4,000. The question was raised that the amendment was out of order and the speaker took the matter under advisement. Representative Sayre, the watchdog of the treasury, is leading the fight for the amendments.

CHINESE IMPERIAL TROOPS AMBUSHED

Five Hundred Soldiers Fall Into Rebel Trap and All Are Slain.

Pekin, Feb. 27.—Advices received here today show that five hundred imperial troops were caught February 16 in an ambush in the Yang-Uing pass by the rebels of the province of Kwang-Si, south China. All the soldiers were killed and the rebels captured large supplies of arms which the troops were taking to the besieged garrison of Chi-Yuen.

The official reports admit that the rebellion in Kwang-Si is increasing and has spread over the border into the province of Hunan. The viceroy of Hunan has sent troops to the boundary to check the rebels' advance.

HELD FOR ROBBERY.

Toledo, Ohio, Feb. 27.—Joel Graham, a Caledonian, N. Y., fireman, and John Hein, a Cleveland, Ohio, sailor, were arrested today, suspected of being two of the ten robbers who yesterday tortured and robbed the eight occupants of the home of Christian Joehlin, three miles from the city limits. They attempted to bribe the first officers and told conflicting stories as to their whereabouts at the time of the murderous assault on the Joehlins. Detectives claim to have clues that will lead to the arrest of the entire robber crew. Bloodhounds have been sent for and despite the fact that the rains of last night may prove an obstacle, the hounds will be put on the scent of the fugitives.

HE STEPPED FROM DANGER TO DEATH

Samuel E. Knott, Vice President of Knott-VanArnam Co., Instantly Killed on Pennsylvania Track.

Samuel E. Knott, vice president and one of the leading stockholders of the new Knott-Van Arnam company, was instantly killed shortly before 7 o'clock this morning, when he was struck by Pennsylvania passenger train No. 18, eastbound, immediately west of the railroad bridge over the St. Mary's river near Swinney park. Mr. Knott was thirty-eight years of age and removed to Fort Wayne but two months ago from Coldwater, Mich. He resided at 1115 Garden street.

The distressing accident occurred but a moment after Mr. Knott had stepped from one track to avoid a freight train, and in doing so he walked directly in front of an oncoming passenger train, which the umbrella he was carrying prevented him from seeing. The fearful impact hurled Knott over beneath the passing freight train which he had at first sought to avoid, and his mangled remains were carried along a distance of two hundred yards before the lifeless mass, crushed and bleeding, was deposited beside the tracks. Coroner Barnett was quickly summoned and the remains were removed to the Peltier undertaking establishment to be prepared for burial.

WAS GOING TO WORK.

The company with which Mr. Knott was connected was the new industry recently secured for Fort Wayne by the Commercial Land company. It removed here from Coldwater, Mich., and has erected extensive shops upon the land company's addition at the southwestern edge of the city for the manufacture of plumbers' specialties. Work upon the buildings began last fall, the machinery had just been installed and the company was about ready to start its works. Mr. Knott was one of the three original promoters of the institution and held the position of vice president of the company and superintendent of the factory. The other principal stockholders are a brother, John T. Knott, and Mr. Van Arnam, besides the Fort Wayne men who are connected with the company. The elder Knott, who was killed this morning, removed with the factory from Coldwater eight weeks ago with his family, took a residence on Garden street, and has been superintending the installing of the machinery and the organization of the factory force.

He left home at 6:30 o'clock this morning, and as has been his custom, took the "short cut" by way of the Pennsylvania tracks to the factory. A drizzling rain was coming from the southwest, and as he proceeded westward Mr. Knott carried an umbrella, holding it in such a position as to prevent a clear view to the west. He was upon the north track and had just crossed the river bridge when he heard a freight train approaching behind him from the east. To avoid this Mr. Knott stepped over upon the south track, unaware of the near approach of eastbound mail train No. 18, which was coming at a high rate of speed.

FIREMAN SAW IT.

No. 18 was drawn by engine 1177, a big class E-2 flyer, in charge of Engineer "Sandy" Hiliker, with Fireman Ed H. Ashton. The latter appears to have been the only witness of the accident and he says that when Knott stepped over in front of the passenger train the engine was less than fifty feet from him. The fireman called to his engineer, but there was no possible way of avoiding the accident. It was over in an instant after Fireman Ashton saw the doomed victim step in front of the flyer.

Knott's body was hurled over

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WILL INVESTIGATE THE POLICE FORCE

Mayor Berghoff Has Confidence in Gorsline--Must First Show Him.

Moyor Berghoff was asked by the Sentinel what he thought about the indictment of Superintendent Gorsline and what action he would take officially. "I have nothing to say at this time for publication except this: I have the utmost confidence in Superintendent Gorsline and have good reason to have. If he got in a drink or two too many sometime when off duty he committed an indiscretion, but not a crime. If the grand jury had asked me I could have given them the names of persons who get drunk every day, in office hours and out of them. I am not conceding, however, that the indictment will stand, but they must show me. I propose to investigate the police force from top to bottom and at once; from the nature of the testimony in the Gorsline case and the character of the witnesses I think it needs it. Further than this I have nothing to say for publication on this subject. As to the grand jury's advice to me that I should keep the women out of wine rooms and from rooms over saloons, that makes me laugh. It's not advice I want, but information. If the grand jury had told me where these wine rooms and women are located it would have been more like it; or why didn't they indict them? There is a law for it. I think the wine rooms and women over them are gone and if they are not, the grand jury should have told me where they exist—I would have attended to the rest. On the whole I am extremely sorry for the credit of our city. The fact that the entire government was under suspicion and that the superintendent had been indicted has been heralded over the whole country and in the state in glowing headlines; I read it twice before I got home and I got home the same day the indictments were returned. It's bad for the city and the whole thing looks to me like a farce."

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Godfrey Biedelman and Heinricka S. Willett.

PLOT TO KIDNAP THE LITTLE LORENT GIRL

Such is Report that Comes to the Sheriff—Witness in Assault Case.

Sheriff Stout was notified this afternoon by a gentleman who claims to be and undoubtedly is in a position to know, that a conspiracy is brewing to spirit the little Lorent girl, of whose rape Charles Stump is accused, out of the city. A woman whose home is supposed to be in Chicago, came to the city several days ago and she is engineering the deal. The sheriff's informant told The Sentinel that he had seen the woman himself yesterday and that he had conversed with a man to whom the woman had offered $100 in cash if he would get the girl to some place where she could get hold of her. The Lorent girl is in her 14th year and the assault upon her was made last fall. She accused Stump of the deed and he was arrested, but after brief confinement was released on bond. He was afterward surrendered by his bondsmen and the grand jury on Wednesday returned an indictment against him. Whatever progress was made in the conspiracy to kidnap will be set at naught since the sheriff has been notified and it is quite likely that in view of it Stump's trial will be set for an early day. The presumption is that the girl was to be taken away so as to remove the only real witness when the case of Stump comes to trial.

FRISCO DEAL MAY BE OFF.

New York, Feb. 27.—The lack of official confirmation of any one of the various reports concerning the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad caused apprehension today that there had been a hitch in the negotiations for the sale of the property. Officials of the St. Louis and San Francisco declined to discuss the company's affairs and all inquiries concerning the reported sale were referred to the Rock Island company, but no information was obtainable from that quarter. At the office of J. P. Morgan & Co. it was said that no official statement on the subject had been prepared.

ROBBERS GET NEARLY $1,100

Cracksmen Loot Postoffice at Garret and Secure Rich Booty

CASH AND STAMPS GONE

Burglars Then Stole a Horse and Made Their Escape Safely.

(Special to The Sentinel.)

Garrett, Ind., Feb. 27.—Sometime during the early morning hours today burglars looted the postoffice in this city, cracked the safe, secured nearly $1,100 in cash and postage stamps, stole a horse and made their escape. Up to this hour there is no clue to their identity, and the officers are unable to ascertain even the direction in which they fled after the job was done. Postoffice Inspector A. R. Burr, of Fort Wayne, has been summoned to take up the work of ferreting out the thieves.

It is evident the men were experts, for there are no indications of a bungle at any stage of the proceedings. The robbery is presumed to have occurred about 2 o'clock, but was not discovered until four hours later. Since the death of Postmaster Charles Sullivan some months ago his sister, Miss Amanda Sullivan, who was deputy under the administration of her brother, has been acting as postmistress. At 6 o'clock this morning when her father, T. H. Sullivan, came down town to open the postoffice and sweep the room preparatory to the business of the day, the interior of the office was in wild disorder. The big safe had been wrecked by the use of some high explosive, papers and furniture were strewn about the room in confusion and the entire contents of the safe, so far as cash and stamps were concerned, were missing.

LOSS EXCEEDS $1,100.

The stolen property aggregates a value of more than $1,100. The robbers secured government funds in the sum of $500, a roll of $175 belonging to Miss Sullivan, the postmistress, $123 belonging to Miss Ivy Warren, the deputy, and $290 in funds belonging to the Masonic and the Red Men's lodges which had been deposited there for safekeeping by a daughter of W. J. Frederick, who is treasurer for these organizations. The cash of Miss Sullivan and Miss Warren was also there for safekeeping. There were also in the safe 4,500 postage stamps of the 2-cent denomination, and 1,500 1-cent stamps, all of which were stolen, together with a registered letter which had been deposited for an outgoing mail. Aside from the damage to the safe, which will be extensive, the cash and stamps stolen amount to $1,138.

Investigation showed that the cracksmen forced an entrance to the postoffice building through a west window, using for this purpose some tools which were stolen from the blacksmith shop of Albert Palmer, formerly of Fort Wayne. Completing the job the burglars stole a horse from the barn of George Davis, who resides at Altona, a suburb of Garrett, and made their escape. Every trace seems to have been well covered, and local authorities are all at sea. The robbers were evidently able to complete the job without interruption, despite the fact that the streets are seldom entirely deserted at any hour of the night, owing to the coming and going of railroad men.

A lady whose home is in close proximity to the postoffice says she was awakened about 2 o'clock by a sound resembling an explosion, and thinking instantly of safe-crackers she arose and went to her window. No further disturbance was heard, however, and believing her fear a groundless one she returned to bed without giving the alarm. The robbers did a complete job upon the safe, wrecking both the outer and the inner doors before they could attack the cash vault.

CONSUL FEARS FEVER.

Guayaquil, Ecuador, Feb. 27.—United States Consul General Sawter and Mrs. Sawter, who arrived here Feb. 25, via Payta, Peru, have started on their return to the United States on the same steamer which brought them south. Mr. Sawter, it is alleged, became afraid of yellow fever when he saw the room at the consulate, where Thomas Nast, the former consul general, died Dec. 7, of the fever. Strong winds have caused an overflowing of the Alausi river. Some damage has been done to the railroad line to Quito, but traffic will be resumed in a few days.